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FIRST EDITION

A GRAND OVATION

At New Bedford to Governor Wolcott.

THE JUBILEE OBSERVANCE A GRAND AFFAIR.

The Veteran Firemen Had a Pumping Contest.

New Bedford, Mass., Oct. 13.—Yesterday's festivities were brought to a close with a largely attended banquet at the Parker House. Governor Wolcott, Senator Lodge and the army and navy officers were the guests of honor.

Attorney General Knowlton, toastmaster, in his opening address, spoke briefly of the earlier history of New Bedford. The speakers were: Governor Wolcott, Senator Lodge, Captain Charles J. Barclay, Captain William P. Vose, Brigadier General Matthews, Major Greene of Fall River and George F. Tucker.

The highest throws in the firemen's playout were as follows: Geyser, East Providence, 161 feet, 6 inches; Teckosnoow, Woonsocket, 157 feet, 11 3-4 inches; New Bedford, New Bedford, 154 feet, 2 inches; Fire King, Pawtuxet, R. I., 154 feet, 1 inch.

HIS VIEW OBSTRUCTED.

Brockton, Mass., Oct. 13.—Edward F. Gorman, a motorman on the Brockton street railway, was struck by the 4:30 train for Boston on the New York, New Haven and Hartford road yesterday afternoon and instantly killed. He had stepped on the track in front of the train, which he did not see in time to avoid owing to a number of freight cars on a side track obstructing the view. Gorman's head was crushed and the trunk was badly cut up. He was 28 years old and unmarried.

POLICE BOARD

BUSINESS TRANSACTED AT LAST NIGHT'S MEETING.

At a meeting of the Board of Police, Tuesday night, the following parties were given leave to withdraw:

Pool and billiards—Antonio Sakalowski, 124 Gorham street; Antonio G. Farinha, 369 Central street; second-hand clothing, Maurice Laffan, 465 Market street.

James Dolan's junk license was revoked.

W. H. Boody was granted a license to give a Sunday evening concert in Music Hall, October 17.

A license to sell second-hand shoes was granted Harris Cohen, 376 Middlesex street.

Thomas M. Leady and Elijah M. Nichols were appointed special police officers for the Locks & Canals company.

Licenses as common victuallers were granted Anna Bouvike, Coolidge and Cheever streets; Joseph Bellemare, 446 Merrimack street; Leroy Lenfest, 46 Schaefer street.

Edward E. Gordon & Co. were licensed as pawnbrokers.

John F. Sparks was promoted from the permanent reserve to the regular police force. Jeremiah Lynch was appointed to the probationary force.

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THAT JUNKET DISCUSSED

At a Meeting of the Board of Aldermen Last Evening.

Alderman Peirce Insists on His Order—Alderman Cosgrove Scores the Courier — Mayor Courtney Lashes the Mail and States His Position.

At a very long session last night, the aldermen transacted considerable business.

Incidentally Alderman Peirce made an able speech on the present muddle in the water department, and said that in his opinion the city had made an awful blunder in its expenditure for its water supply.

The aldermen tried to get at Superintendent Bray, but the effort failed because of the sharp action of Alderman Peirce.

The following petitions were referred: James W. Boyle to accept a sidewalk in May street; Geo. W. Harris et al, for sidewalks in Pawtucket street; A. C. Russell for sidewalks in A street; J. S. Campos et al., for sidewalk in D street; Lowell Mfg. Co., for removal of tree; Francis J. McCarron, for removal of tree; Michael Haley, for removal of tree; Rev. Thomas J. Sayers, et al., for gas light at the corner of Gorham and London streets; Asa C. Russell et al., for street lights in Quebec street; O. M. Fournier et al., for electric light corner Austin and Merrimack streets; H. C. Greene et al., for street lights at Rose avenue and W. Forrest street; D. L. Hyson et al., for electric light at corner of School and C streets; Alfred Delisle et al., for street light in Sarah and Phoebe avenues; M. J. Grace et al., for sewer in Wilder street.

The following favorable reports from the street committee were ordered to lie in the city clerk's office seven days: Eugene Bailley et al., that lines of Campau street be defined; Frank K. Stearns for sidewalk on Lawrence street; Diantha Sweatt et al., for sidewalk in Davenport and Pine streets; Highland club, for sidewalk in Harvard street; Horace Clement et al., for sidewalk in Eighteenth street; Maurice O'Donnell et al., for sidewalks in Gates and Sheldon streets; J. W. Ellis et al., to raise grade of Varnum avenue.

The monthly report of the superintendent of streets was ordered on file.

Notices of claims of damages for personal injuries were received from Catherine Sheldon and Richard J. Sparks.

The petition of J. M. Farrell for a slaughter house license and of M. F. Coffey for revocation of the appointment of B. F. Cately as constable were laid on the table.

The following resolutions took their final passage: That the lines of Wood street be defined; that Burtt street be accepted and edgestones laid therein.

The joint resolution to borrow $750,000 for temporary loans was passed in concurrence.

The resignation of Dr. S. J. Johnson as a member of the charter commission was accepted.

The following petitions were referred in concurrence: Of Thos. Egan to accept sidewalk in Auburn street; F. W. Clifeney et al., for sidewalk in Fourth avenue; Geo. H. Stevens, for sidewalk in Whitney avenue; Owen Donnelly et al., that Adams street be paved; Chas. B. Saunders et al., for fire alarm box in Princeton street.

There was no one present to speak in favor or against the petition of the U. S. Bunting company for permission to move a building. The petition was granted.

The petition of James T. Smith that all public works excepting public buildings be done according to specifications prepared by, and the work done under the direction of, the civil engineer was referred.

On motion of Alderman Goward, it was voted to ballot for a member of the charter commission to take the place of Dr. Johnson, resigned. Col. C. A. R. Dimon had 8 votes, Frank B. Dow had the vote, and Col. Dimon was declared elected.

William Marsden was discharged as a member of the fire department for misconduct.

An order was adopted authorizing the issuance of notices for the election of state and county officers.

An order was adopted authorizing the use of the Currier system in counting votes at the state election.

Alderman Lawrence said that the city council of 1896 had voted not to expend money to put a street to grade. The street committee this year had notified all petitioners that their requests would not be considered if it involved the expenditure of money. He did not believe in making fish of one and flesh of another, and therefore he moved to rescind the notice whereby the resolution for the defining of the lines of Wood street was passed. The motion passed.

The street committee reported a resolution to borrow $10,000 for the extension of Aiken street, or in other words, for the construction of a bridge over the Northern canal.

In explanation of the resolution, Alderman Peirce stated the conditions of the locality and referred to the location of railroad tracks near the present outlet of this district, and said that it was a dangerous place.

Alderman Lawrence claimed that the canal was used for navigation by the Locks & Canals company, and therefore the company was obliged to construct the bridge. The obligation was stronger, he thought, because before the canal was built, Austin stret ran clear to Cheever street. The resolution was unanimously passed.

The committee appointed to confer with Smith Bros., relative to a settlement for the driven well plant, recommended the payment of $15,000. The accompanying resolution to borrow $41,000 to help pay the claim was read. Alderman Peirce moved to strike out $41,000 and insert $20,000. He explained his opposition to the original resolution. He said a contract was entered into by Smith Bros. and the water board by which they were to pay a certain amount of money to the former for pumping water. He contended that the contract was carried out as agreed to and he believed that it was a useless, uncalled-for expenditure of money. The contract calls for the pumping of 3,000,000 gallons of water at a cost of about $20,000. "We are willing to pay that, and I say we should," he said. "I believe that President Weaver of the water board has presented distorted facts to the press and has criticised the action of this board. His action is in line with his previous action, which consisted in his presenting to the press an offical statement to the city council two weeks before it was presented to us. I maintain that we should not buy that driven well plant for it is built on land that does not belong to us and if it is a permanent structure, it will revert to the owners of the land. I do not believe Smith Bros. can recover any more than what this original contract calls for."

Alderman Peirce made an admirable presentation of his case and had facts that were indisputable at his command.

Aldermen Tuttle and Derby opposed the amendment.

Alderman Cosgrove favored the amendment because, he said, Councilman Taylor, a member of the special committee that inquired into the matter told him that City Solicitor Qua had said that the Smith Bros. cannot recover the amount the committee had recommended.

The amendment was lost, and then, on motion of Alderman Hooper, the matter was referred to the city solicitor.

Alderman Eastman moved to ballot for a superintendent of public buildings.

Alderman Peirce moved to postpone the matter to the first meeting in December. It was so voted and Alderman Goward moved immediate reconsideration, which was granted.

Alderman Peirce moved that action on the matter be deferred to the second meeting in December. This motion was lost and the alderman gave notice of reconsideration.

Pole locations were granted the Lowell Electric Light company and the New England Tel. & Tel. company.

The pay of election officers was fixed at $10, with $1 as compensation for deputy officers. The list of election officers was ordered to lie on the table till the time for confirmation.

Alderman Peirce moved that the committee on wires report at the next meeting rules governing the locating of poles, so that abuttors will have notice of the intention to locate a pole.

Several resolutions for the removal of trees were passed.

LAKEVIEW JUNKET.

An order was passed requesting the opinion of the city solicitor as to the legality of paying the bill for the outing at Mountain Rock.

Alderman Goward raised a point of order that the order should have been a joint one, and he also claimed that the bills had not yet come to the attention of the committee of accounts, where they should first go and be passed upon by them. The mayor ruled the point not well taken.

Alderman Hooper said the board had no official notice of the bills referred to. He thought the bills should be passed to the committee on accounts.

Alderman Cosgrove desired to offer an explanation of the article that appeared in yesterday's Courier, which he claimed, is thoroughly unjust to him. He said: "The article says that I was the only alderman member of that committee. Nobody knows beter than the thoroughly irresponsible, top-heavy tyro who wrote the article that there was more than one alderman on that committee. I am not surprised that a man of his calibre should write that article. He is small physically and he is small mentally. I can see why he should write it, but I cannot understand why a paper will publish such stuff." The alderman was very earnest in his remarks and opened up a discussion that reached a dramatic climax.

Alderman Peirce rose to offer an explanation and opened a charge on the Mail. "That paper in an editorial says that the order asking for an opinion from the city solicitor as to the legality of that bill, was put in by me to shield somebody. For once the editor of the Mail has made a true statement. It was true that I desired to shield somebody and now that I have been found out, I will confesss it. I was trying to shield the city treasury and the city treasurer. I say there is some question as to the legality of that bill. I don't care if a man went out there and had liquor or a glass of beer. That makes no differenc to me. But I contend as a member of this government that we should consult our city solicitor, unbiased and free, and not dominated by the republican city committee. Mr. Qua is capable of giving a good legal opinion. I see no reason why the order should not pass.

Now for the final. Mayor Courtney addressing the board denounced the Mail in strong terms. He said: "Inasmuch as reference has been made to statements in the newspapers and particularly to those in the Morning Mail, I desire to say that the Mail with its usual disregard for truth and its usual desire to misrepresent the present Mayor, this morning stated that a member of the city government said that the Mayor and Alderman Cosgrove directed the arrangements of the outing.

"I don't believe that any member of the government ever made such a statement. I believe it was a deliberate lie on the part of the one who wrote it, for every member of the city government knew that an order originated in the Common Council, inviting the city government of Lawrence to visit our city and provided for the pointment of three members of the Council and two members of the Board of Aldermen.

When the order came from the Council it bore the names of the three members named by the president of the Council. After the Board had adopted the order in concurrence I named two members of the Board to be joined by the three councilmen, as was required by the order.

"I was not a member of the committee, did not attend any meeting of the committee; was not consulted by the committee and knew nothing of what they were doing until I went o the outing to receive the members of the Lawrence city government who had recently entertained us so hospitably on the occasion of our visit to their city on their invitations. I went there to show my respect for our guests and had I not done so, I could properly be accused of discourtesy to the invited guests of the city.

"Every member of the government knew these facts and I feel sure that none of them made the statement contained in the Mail. The story was either a deliberate lie on the part of a reporter or else was made up in the editorial rooms of the Mail, which is very likely, for the Mail is not above such low, mean, contemptible business."

The gift of the portrait of James B. Francis from the Locks & Canals was accepted and a vote of thanks adopted. The Board adjourned at 11.45.

THE WILLIAMS RALLY

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR FRIDAY NIGHT'S MEETING.

The executive committee of the democratic city committee met last night and voted to invite John H. Harrington of The Sun to preside at the democratic rally in Huntington Hall Friday night. The speakers will be Hon. George Fred Williams and Pierre Humbert, Jr.

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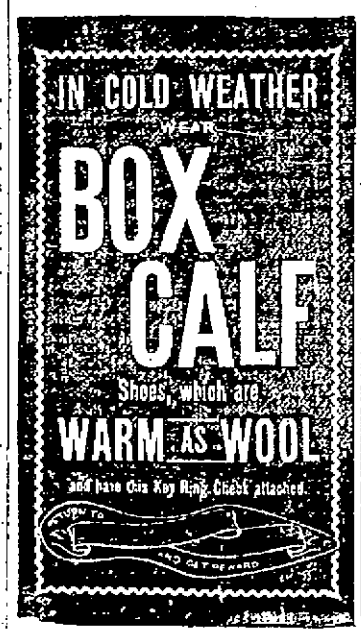

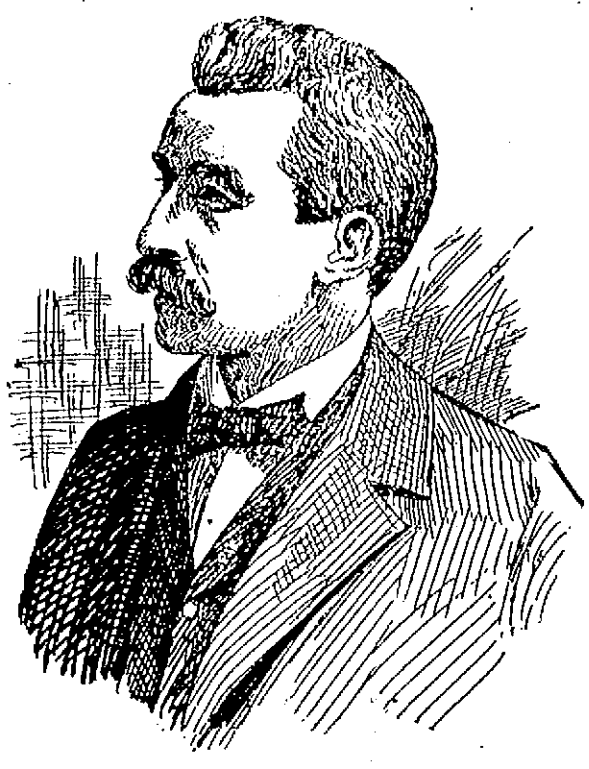

JAMES B. GLENN, Labor Organizer of Chicago.

DARING HOLD UP OF TRAIN

In Broad Daylight by Four Bandits of Masked Men.

The Express Safe Was Too Strong for Them — They Only Got $200.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 13.—Tuesday afternoon, in broad daylight and within 12 miles of the corporate limits of the city, the south-bound cannon ball on the International and Great Northern railroad, consisting of mail, baggage and express cars and three coaches loaded with passengers, was held up by four men and robbed. The conductor of the train, Tom Healy, was shot by the robbers while resisting them, but fortunately was not seriously wounded. One of the passengers had his shirt collar carried away by a pistol ball that was aimed at his neck, and another a bullet wound in the hand. The passengers were robbed of some $200 in money. The bandits attempted to rifle the safe in the express car, but were unsuccessful.

When the train reached McNeil, a small station 14 miles above this city, two men, heavily armed, took their stand on the rear platform. After the conductor had checked up the train he reached the platform, only to find a pistol at each side of his head. The men demanded that he stop the train. He declined to do so and began to run through the train with the robbers in close pursuit. He had not gone half the length of the first car when the foremost robber shot at him, bringing him to the floor with a pistol wound in the right arm. At this juncture the other robber pulled the bellcord, and the train was brought to a standstill.

It was evidently at the appointed place, for the train had hardly stopped before two other men, whose faces were covered with masks, stepped out from among the trees and began shooting into the cars. Instantly all was confusion. The two men on the train were immediately joined by those from the woods and began their work. As the colored train porter sprang from the rear coach and ran for shelter, a robber began to shoot at him, and the negro emptied a revolver in turn without effect. The express messenger looked out of his car and, taking in the situation, left the car and was soon lost to sight. The robbers, leaving two men to guard the three coaches, proceeded to the express car and demanded that the baggageman open the express safe, but upon being assured that he could not do so they turned their attention to the passengers. They took only money from them, not overlooking a single cent and walking two by two through the cars so as to always keep their eyes on the passengers.

Having secured about $200 in this manner, they uncoupled the engine from the train and started it off down the track. After going several miles they set the lever at a moderate gait and left the engine. The engine came into the flag station at Duval and was there captured, the station agent returning with it to the scene of the robbery. The train was then brought to this city. Officers have gone to the scene with bloodhounds to search for the robbers.

A HAVERHILL MAN

Takes the Place of J. L. Chalifoux.

ON THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET FOR AUDITOR.

Ex-Mayor Sheldon Will Fill the Bill.

Boston, Oct. 13.—The Democratic executive committee held a meeting at headquarters yesterday and chose ex-Mayor Joseph H. Sheldon of Haverhill to fill the vacancy on the state ticket caused by the declination of J. L. Chalifoux of Lowell to stand as the candidate for auditor. Resolutions were unanimously adopted on the death of Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan of Lawrence, a member of that body, at his decease.

SEVENTH DISTRICT

NOMINATES EDWARD J. McVEY FOR SENATOR.

The seventh district democratic senatorial convention was held in Huntington hall last night. Edward J. McVey, Esq., was unanimously nominated for senator and Joseph Clark was elected a member of the state central committee. The following delegates to the district convention were appointed: John G. Gordon, Jas. F. Owens, Harry Doherty and John H. Dolan.

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DEMOCRATS REGISTER

THE LAST CHANCE BEFORE STATE ELECTION.

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POLITICAL NOTES.

The friends of Frank McMahon, the councilmanic candidate from ward two held a meeting last night and made plans for work that they intend will secure his nomination. Mr. McMahon has a host of friends in the ward and the prospects are bright for his nomination.

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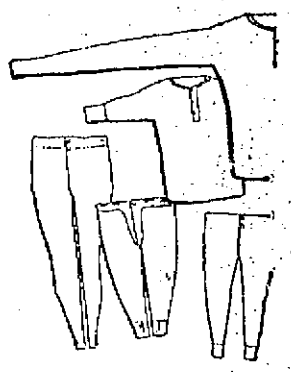

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He Urges the Craftsmen to Keep Organized.

About 75 members of the local branch the International Association of Machinists, despite the muggy weather, which made life in a hall decidedly uncomfortably, attended the meeting of the union in Labor Hall, on Middle street last evening and listened to a highly interesting and instructive discourse by Stephen B. Glenn of Chicago, grand organizer of the association in America.

Mr. Glenn is well known in the West as a writer on labor subjects and he is a pleasing, logical, and convincing speaker, showing a thorough knowledge of his subject.

Shortly after eight o'clock the meeting was called to order and the presiding officer, after briefly referring to the growing size of the union, introduced Lowell's old labor war-horse, Alexander Ray, who spoke briefly in favor of more perfect organization among the toilers of Lowell.

Mr. Stephen B. Glenn was introduced amid great applause. He said:

"Not long ago, I had occasion to read Patrick Henry's famous reference to the indulgence of man in the delusion of hope, and I believe that that is the trouble with men today. We have indulged too long in the delusions of hope. Now is the time to lay aside such dreams and get down to work. I don't mean to start your machinery but by considering the benefits on all sides that you can derive from organization. Let us consider our own trades. The average pay of the locomotive engineer is $3.50 per day. Why is it that when you create a locomotive, you build it at less than $1.75 per day, and the engineer steps in when you are done and gets $3.50? Why is it? Not because it requires more ability or apprenticeship to run it than to build it, but because the engineers are organized and the machinists are not."

[See Second Edition.]

PHILHARMONIC CLUB.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Philharmonic club was held in the Middlesex Women's club rooms last night. Reports were read showing the good work and excellent standing of the club and officers for the standing year were elected as follows:

President, Larkin T. Trull; vice president, Edwin K. Baldwin; treasurer, Frank R. Haggett; secretary, Charles W. Eaton; librarian, T. R. Hall; directors, Fred J. Flemings, Cyrus W. Russell, J. Arthur Gage, Harry P. Knapp, John W. McEvoy, George H. Taylor.

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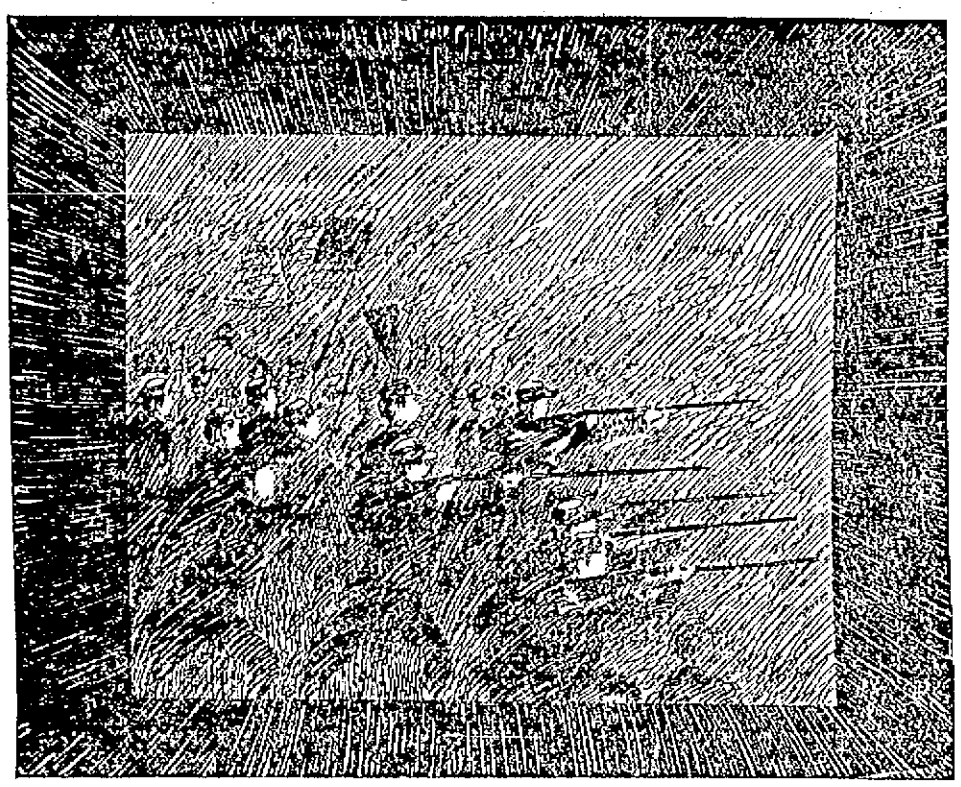

Battle Scene, Entitled the Attack, in the Tableaux Phantasma.

The first of a series of four presentations of John W. Sherman's Tableaux Phantasma, was given last night at Huntington hall for the benefit of St. John's hospital, and was attended by a large audience. The entertainment presented was decidedly charming, the pictures presented being superb imitations of a variety of historic events, famous paintings, of allegorical representations which are easily interpreted without any explanation. The pictures were classical, domestic, mythological, and historic, and many young ladies residing in Lowell represented the characters.

The participants in the first part of the program were Mary Fox, Minnie Teague, Stella Iresón, Elizabeth Rafter, Corinne Emerson, Lizzie E. Kelley, Minnie F. Hill, Ella Kelley, Estelle Green, Glenna Husson, Florence M. Fish, Alice Mahoney, Sarah Sparks, Alice Kerr, Julia Rafter, Lizzie Jewett, Mollie Murphy, Belle Leighton, Susie Cooke, Annie McDougall, Mary McNeal, Louise McOsker, Bridget Smith, Mary Joyce, Grace Donovan, Angie Hurtubise, Jennie Dunham, Ellen Commerford, Margaret Smith, Bridie McKeon, Lilla Cooke, Helen Joyce, Teresa and Margaret Corbett, Esther Owens, Sadie Golden and Nellie Murphy.

This was followed by Atwood's orchestra conducted by Arthur Mills, in a selection and the band played well and frequently between the numbers. Then came the pathetic illusion, "Under the Snow," with a song of the same title sung feelingly by Miss Mary Joyce. The scene showed a bereaved mother, represented by Alice Owens, the angel by Florence Fish, and the child by Angie Hurtubise. It introduced some effects that were remarkably realistic.

Grand military tableaux came next while James E. Donnelly sang with power and effect the favorite war songs, "Just Before the Battle," "The Vacant Chair," and "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground." The soldiers were members of the Ambulance corps commanded by Lieut. Dr. Bell. They appeared in the alarm, attack, death shot, bivouac and victory, and the scenes closed with Columbia, personated by Margaret Corbett, crowning the victor.

Beautiful Easter illusions were then displayed while Lilla Cooke sang "Rock of Ages." The poseurs were Hawita Screlber, Lizzie Lawler, Mary Ryan, Minnie Gilligan, Margaret Cassidy, Florence Cooke, Lizzie Jewett, Anna Coughlin, Angie Hurtubise, Louise McOsker, Anna Cassidy, Grace Donovan and Estelle Green.

Classic tableaux were shown while Mrs. Charles M. Williams sang with great brilliancy Schubert's serenade. Nydia was Alice Mahoney; Little Red Riding Hood, Corinne Emerson; Goddess of Agriculture and Industries of State, Nellie Murphy, Teresa Corbett and Esther Owens; Elaine, Helen Joyce; dumb servitor, Richard J. McCluskey. Pictures representing well known paintings succeeded, and then came the special hit of the production, "Caring for the Sick," specially designed for St. John's hospital. The sick bed on which lay the convalescing invalid, Glenna Husson, was surrounded by Drs. Daly, Smart, Fox and McAdams, and Dr. Plunkett, with the hospital pupil nurses, Misses Copps, Grimes, Sullivan and Darcy. Mrs. Hurtubise was the visitor and Florence Cooke the guardian angel. Mr. Donnelly sang beautifully, "I Love to Hear My Savior's Voice," with organ accompaniment. It was a scene of the most touching character.

There were many other pictures, some being accompanied with appropriate music. Selections were rendered by Mrs. Charles M. Williams, James E. Donnelly and Atwood's orchestra. The entertainment will be given this afternoon and evening and tomorrow evening.

STATE HIGHWAY

WORK WILL PROBABLY BEGIN WITH NEW YEAR.

Plans are already beginning to materialize for the construction of a state highway between Lowell and Lawrence says the Lawrence Sun.

City Solicitor Qua, accompanied by a delegation of officials from the upriver city, came to Lawrence this morning to consult with Mayor Junkins in regard to having petitions forwarded to the state highway commission from both cities, asking that the matter be considered by that body as soon as possible.

The Lowell gentlemen also wished to learn the form of the petition which was sent to the commission when the highway from this city to Haverhill was built. The aldermen of this city will consider the matter at tonight's meeting and a petition will be drawn up asking that the matter be acted upon expeditiously. This, together with a like petition form the Lowell city government, will probably have the effect of having some action taken at once.

It is the hope of the Lowell people that the work will be started early next year.

SUPERIOR COURT—LILLEY, J.

In superior court the case of Constable O'Boyle vs. John Mack, representing the New York Life Insurance company, was put on trial yesterday morning. It seems that in February last, Bernard D. O'Connell, the well known lawyer who has figured so prominently in the daily papers of late, took out an insurance policy of $10,000, through the defendant, Mack, representing the insurance company, and paid a premium of $238. The suit, however, is an action brought by Constable O'Boyle against Mack to recover 10 per cent. of the premium. He testified that he had influenced Mr. O'Connell to take out the policy and had been promised that percentage. Lawyer O'Connell testified that Mr. O'Boyle had been constable in his office, and had persuaded him to have his life insured. He had understood that Mr. O'Boyle would receive some compensation or he would have insured in another company. The defence is a general denial. W. H. Bent, Esq., appears for the plaintiff and James F. Owens for the defendant.

The second jury went to Tewksbury for a view in the cases of Mary A. Smith and Elizabeth Davis vs. Town of Tewksbury. The Hogans appear for the plaintiffs; Trull & Wier for the defendant.

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OUR ART SCHOOL

Sketch of the Evening Drawing Schools.

THEIR HISTORY DURING 25 YEARS OF WORK.

About to Open for Another Season's Labor.

Probably very few people in Lowell are aware that the Free Evening Drawing school held its first session in the year 1872, and as this year marks its twenty-fifth anniversary, it seems appropriate to give the public a short sketch of the different departments of the school that they may judge of its efficiency and its value to the many pupils who have availed themselves of its privileges. In 1870 the legislature passed a law requiring cities of more than 10,000 inhabitants to make provision for drawing to be taught in the public schools and to provide free instruction in industrial or mechanical drawing to persons over fifteen years of age.

In accordance with this law the Free Evening Drawing school was opened in March, 1872, when Mr. Bertram Harrison was in charge of the free hand department and Prof. Channing Whitaker of the classes in instrumental drawing, as they were then called, when one lesson was devoted to machine drawing, and the next one to architectural drawing. At this time, Prof. Whitaker was assisted by Mr. Almavin Trowbridge, Jr., a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The free hand class was held in the old Green school house on Middle street the instrumental classes in the new Green school house. This was a short term, but the sessions were resumed the next fall and winter.

There was some opposition from the conservatives to this new enterprise, but the city was peculiarly fortunate at that time in having the late Hon. John A. Goodwin chairman of the committee on penmanship and drawing, "and his far-reaching foresight discerned the vast benefits to be reaped in the future by our mechanics and manufacturers from the development of this new departure."

The other members of the committee were Mr. C. K. Russell, Mr. Joshua Merrill, Mr. John F. Frye, Mr. Henry P. Perkins, all of whom were very energetic in establishing the school. Much space was given to the Lowell school in the report of the State Exhibition in Boston by the State Board of Education. We quote the following from that report:

"We thought it necessary to express our high appreciation of the thoroughness of the instrumental courses by awarding the recognition of 'Excellent,' to both architectural and mechanical sections and 'Honorable Mention' to the free hand section."

In 1873, Mr. Wm. R. Ware of Cambridge then assistant instructor of architecture at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, afterward editor of the American Architect, was Prof. Whitaker's assistant in charge of the architectural class.

Later this position was filled by Mr. Frank M. Howe, the chief draughtsman in the office of Ware & Van Brunt, architects of Boston, and now a member of the firm of Van Brunt & Howe of Kansas City.

Mr. Howe was the designer of the electrical building at the World's Fair in Chicago in 1893.

That year Mr. Harrison was assisted by Miss Helen M. Wright and Miss Isabella Coburn.

In 1874 Prof. Whitaker took charge of all the departments.

During that year we find by the records that a series of lectures were given by Prof. Ware of Boston, instructure of architecture at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology on charcoal drawing. Mr. Walter Smith, state director of art education, of Boston, also lectured and Prof. Whitaker on machine drawing.

There was an arrangement made that winter with the Middlesex Mechanics' association by which the pupils of this school could attend free a course of scientific lectures given in Huntington hall under their auspices.

There was a class in shades and shadows formed that year which met in the afternoon when Hr. Albert H. Guild of Boston who was a pupil of Mr. Rouse, a famous portrait artist, was the first instructor.

Mr. Letang of Boston, assistant professor of architecture in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, also a graduate of the School of Fine Arts in Paris, taught a class in crayon shading, which was especially for teachers. Among the names recorded as pupils, we find Mr. Bertram Harrison, Professor and Mrs. Whitaker, Miss Helen W. Wright, Miss Helen A. Whittier, Miss Hulda J. Leavitt, Miss Martha A. Paul, Mr. Willard M. Foster, all of whom, except Mrs. Whitaker, were afterward connected with the school as teachers.

In 1875 a class in Practical Design was organized when Prof. Whitaker was assisted by Miss Helen W. Wright and Miss Helen A. Whittier. Miss Hulda J. Leavitt assisted in the crayon class, Miss M. Leslie Allen in preparing diagrams for pupils work in architectural and machine classes, Mr. Kirkley Hyde in the machine class and Mr. Howe in the architectural.

That year, Mr. Lord, then principal of the Lowell High school, delivered a lecture on "Pure and Impure Color." The decorating of China was introduced which met with much favor.

Mr. Bartlett, chief assistant at the Boston Normal Art school, gave a lecture on "Designs for Teacups." Miss Frederick and Miss Simons, assistants to Prof. Kastner at the Lowell school of Design in Boston were present at two sessions of the practical design class to introduce the use of color in designs for prints, etc.

During this and the following year many designs and decorated tea cups also specimens of machine and architectural drawings were sent to the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia, for which the school received a bronze medal and diploma. The latter is framed and hangs in the drawing school building, formerly the Mann school, on Broadway.

Besides this recognition of merit the school was awarded a silver medal from the State Agricultural Fair in Manchester, N. H., also a silver medal from the Mechanics' Charitable association in Boston.

In 1876 Prof. Whitaker resigned when Mr. Kirkley Hyde assumed the charge of the class in machine drawing, who continued to keep up its high standard. Miss Helen W. Wright became the principal of the free hand and practical design classes, which position she still retains, her departments showing very marked progress under her direction, aided by her competent assistants.

In 1879 Mr. Frederick W. Stickney was chosen principal of the architectural class on the resignation of Mr. Howe; with his thorough knowledge and artistic taste, aided by his corps of valuable assistants, this department has been very successful. He resigned in 1893, when Mr. Henry M. Southworth was chosen to succeed him, who now holds the position.

In 1879 a new department of art modeling in clay was introduced with Mr. Pierre Millais of Boston, a noted sculptor, for teacher; the next year Mrs. Ellen D. Carney was elected to take charge of this department, and under her trained and skilful instruction with able assistants, much progress and interest were shown and this is now a very valuable department of the school. Mrs. Carney resigned in 1885 when Miss Abbie F. Davis assumed the position.

In 1882 Mr. Kirkley Hyde resigned the charge of the class in machine drawing when Mr. Samuel G. Stephens who had been an assistant since the opening of the school, also an instructor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, was elected to fill the vacancy. Under his practical as well as technical instruction this class has always maintained its high standard of excellence, its aim being to give thorough instruction in machine drawing, the students using actual parts of machinery for models from which to make their drawings.

For many years the sessions of the school were held in the Green school hall until the accommodations were inadequate, then the machine and the architectural classes were moved to the Worthen street schoolhouse, but in 1888 all the classes were located in the present building on Broadway.

In all these years the school has made great advancement, keeping up with the demands of the times, and is now one of, if not the best equipped, free evening drawing schools in the state. It has all the modern models, casts, etc., for the use of the pupils, is well lighted with gas and electricity, and has every convenience for free instruction in its several departments.

This success is due in a great measure to the interest and sympathy of the committee on penmanship and drawing, their hearty co-operation in all measures for promoting its progress and usefulness.

It will perhaps be of interest to know that the following named gentlemen have served as chairmen of that committee: Hon. John A. Goodwin, Dr. William G. Ward, Hon. Charles H. Allen, Dr. Leonard Huntress, Jr., Mr. Michael Sexton, Dr. Stephen J. Johnson, Judge John J. Pickman, Rev. Ransom A. Greene, Mr. Fred Woodies, Dr. George F. Thomas, the latter still in office.

For many years there was an annual exhibition of the work of the schools held in Huntington hall, where the drawings of the day schools as well as of the evening schools were exhibited, when large numbers of our citizens visited them and great interest was shown, much praise expressed.

The exhibitions the last years have been held in the drawing school building.

Many pupils who here took their first lessons in industrial art and went to other schools for technical and further instruction, are now filling important and lucrative positions as draughtsmen, architects, designers, teachers of drawing, modeling in clay, and many other branches of art; all these facts go to prove the great usefulness and practicability of this school. Here the latent talent of pupils has been awakened and then the aim has been to direct and develop that talent in the line which would be the most useful to them in their future business life.

Since 1885 diplomas have been given in each department to those pupils who have finished the required course of work. The number of pupils is much larger than in the earlier years and the interest is constantly increasing under its able management.

The present teachers are: Machine class, Mr. Samuel G. Stephens, principal; Mr. Willard M. Foster, Mr. Fred W. Farnham, Mr. T. Burt Stephenson, assistants; Mr. H. S. Cryster, substitute. Architectural class: Mr. Henry M. Southworth, principal; Mr. Samuel D. Butterworth, Mr. George W. Mansur, Mr. Harry P. Graves, assistants; Mr. Henry Rourke, substitute. Free hand class: Miss Helen M. Wright, principal; Miss Martha A. Paul, Miss Ella C. Green, Mrs. M. E. Cushing, Miss Ida M. Wright, assistants. Practical design class: Miss Helen M. Wright, principal; Mrs. M. E. Cushing, assistant. Modeling in clay, Miss Abbie F. Davis, principal; Miss E. Elizabeth Whitney, Miss Kate Burrage, Miss M. A. Hardy, assistants. Miss Paul, Miss Green, Mr. Foster and Mr. Farnham have been connected with the school as pupils and teachers since the opening year.

The term this year will begin Monday evening, October 18. Registration will be made Monday and Thursday evenings, October 11 and 14, for machine and architectural classes; Tuesday and Friday evenings, October 12 and 15, for free hand, practical design, and modeling classes, in the drawing school building on Broadway.

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FEAR VERSUS FEVER.

SHOTGUN QUARANTINE PREVAILS IN THE STRICKEN SECTIONS.

Military Methods the Rule—Race Lines Have Been Ignored—Cuban Refugees Are Said to Have Brought the Fever. Clash of Authority.

From a hundred houses in New Orleans flaunts the red and yellow flag of Spain, and it looks as though the Spaniards had captured the city. The selection of the colors for the yellow fever flag was a mere accident, but not a few of the Spanish citizens of New Orleans have, with true Castilian pride, protested against the Spanish colors and flag being used as the emblem of a pestilence. While the number of yellow fever cases is not by any means so great as to warrant the fear of an epidemic, the fear of the fever has had a most extraordinary effect.

The country from Florida to the Rio Grande and as far up in the interior as the Ohio is now in a condition of actual warfare. Martial law prevails in nearly all the states of that section.

Cuban refugees are believed to have brought the fever to Ocean Springs, Miss., where it was first discovered early in July. In August a peculiar local fever was noticed, but it was not until Sept. 5 that the various state and national authorities who had been investigating the matter announced that the "fever" was yellow fever.

The resulting panic has already cost the south millions, not on account of the disease, which is still practically confined to the gulf coast within a few miles of Ocean Springs, but on account of the panic, for if the northerner will bear this idea in mind—that the south is in a condition of actual warfare; that it has been invaded by a brutal and relentless enemy, who landed suddenly at its shores—he will understand the situation. He will see evidence of warfare everywhere, shotguns and rifles, military organization and martial law.

The so called "shotgun quarantine" system is simply an organization as a military basis of every town and hamlet in the south. How many persons have shouldered their muskets for this new war and are doing "quarantine duty" today it would be difficult to say definitely, but with 500 at Vicksburg, Natchez and Shreveport each the total would run well up into the tens of thousands, possibly to a hundred thousand. There are certainly 1,000 boards of health in the south today. Every county and town has at least one, and so have even the hamlets of a dozen people. Most of these boards are without any legal or constitutional power, having been elected by mass meetings or were self constituted, but this does not prevent them from stopping trains, closing the mails and defying the state and federal governments.

The quarantine is organized on a regular military basis. Shreveport has a "commander in chief of the quarantine service," and there are quarantine colonels and majors. At first the quarantine duty was performed by the regular militia. The Claiborne guard tendered its services in Port Gibson, the Natchez rifles in Natchez and the Ouachita guards in Monroe, La. But the duty was not inspiring to the young warriors, and there was not much glory in standing guard all night on a lonely road watching for yellow fever "suspects." An appeal for volunteers was then made and was promptly responded to in almost all cases. In Ellesville, Miss., every man, "the lame, the halt and the blind" included, volunteered for duty, but even the volunteers have grown tired. Vicksburg has accordingly adopted the draft system. One thousand persons have been drafted in Vicksburg for quarantine service. If a man is too feeble to serve, he must pay a substitute to take his place, but there is no excuse allowing for not serving in the quarantine army.

As the season has gone on and the volunteer duty has become more severe the volunteers have been disbanded and a paid force employed in their stead. Every town in the south now has a standing army of from 100 to 1,000 men, for it requires a large force to picket not only the railroads, but the dirt roads as well.

From a race point of view there is one thing specially noticeable in the present situation. In the face of the yellow fever, race lines have been ignored as they never were before. At Monroe, La., where no negro has been allowed to carry a gun for years, they have been given rifles and placed on quarantine duty and instructed to fire on any one—white or black—who attempts to pass the "dead line." At Vicksburg and at a dozen other places, where negro military companies are prohibited, the colored man has been invited to do duty side by side with the white brother and on equal terms with him.

The man who happened to get caught between the quarantines was in a bad way indeed. A New York drummer got caught in this fix near Handsboro, Miss., and had to hide in the woods for nights. If he went toward Handsboro, the guards drove him back with their rifles, if toward Mississippi City, the pickets threatened his life. A Chicago baker, Schmidt by name, who got caught between the Warren and Hands county quarantine lines, was in even a worse fix. He was like a man between two armies and was finally picked up prostrate and unable to move for lack of food, having been nearly a week a refugee in the open woods.

Bay St. Louis, Miss., a town of 2,000 people on the gulf coast, was similarly caught between the several coast quarantines. It was cut off absolutely from the world. Not a person, not a pound of freight, not a letter or newspaper could come into the town, which was in a thoroughly healthy condition. A careful count was made of all the provisions on hand, and it was calculated that it could stand the siege for three weeks if the provisions were equally divided and distributed as rations. Before, however, the ration system was adopted some of the quarantine restrictions were removed and Bay St. Louis allowed to receive food supplies. But many of the other towns ran short of the necessities of life.—Philadelphia Press.

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THE ARGONAUT TESTED.

The Lake Submarine Wrecking Boat Undergoes a Successful Trial.

The lake submarine wrecking boat Argonaut, with six persons aboard, went to the bottom of the Columbian Iron works drydock in Baltimore recently, and with a clear five feet of water above her she remained two hours. Those who went down with Simon Lake, the inventor, were Edward L. Peacock, John McInnes, Alexander Cochran, S. T. Champion and Mr. Wilson, a diver.

At first the Argonaut was allowed to sink gradually, but when about ten inches above the surface she made a lunge downward. From the exhaust for the gas engine used in the boat a rubber hose led to the surface, and through another hose attendants in a rowboat conversed with those inside the submarine vessel.

The electric lights generated by the gas engine gave plenty of light, and the quantity of compressed air was said to be sufficient for the number in the boat to have subsisted until this morning. Half an hour before the boat ascended to the surface the air inside was so fresh and pure that cigars were smoked after a luncheon had been served. No attempt was made to send a diver from the boat. On dropping the heavy keel from the vessel she bounded to the surface like a rocket.—New York Sun.

Runaway Electric Cabs.

The London police are now wrestling with a question which involves the new electric cab service recently established in that city. Several accidents have occurred where the man in charge of the electric cab has been drunk and has allowed the cab to run amuck. The police say that they will guarantee to stop runaway horses attached to cabs, but they are unused to the peculiar notions of electric current and do not know just how to go about stopping a runaway electric cab. They hope to solve the question, however, by refusing to grant a license to a motor cab driver unless his employer will furnish a guarantee that he is a strictly temperate man.—Electrical Review.

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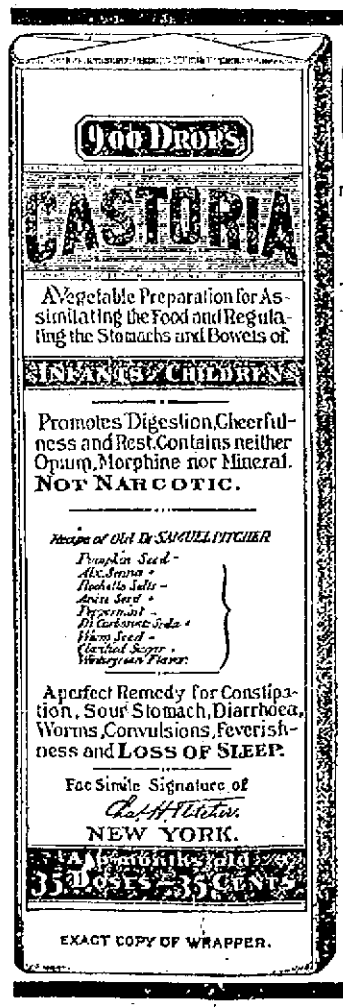

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One of the Most Heartless Crimes for Years.

SON ILL WITH TYPHOID FEVER SCARED TO DEATH.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Camden, N. J, Oct. 12.—Mrs. Vane, aged 65, a widow, and her daughter, aged 40, were shot and killed last night by burglars and a son who was ill with typhoid fever was exposed to the cold and so affected that he had a relapse and is not expected to live. It was one of the most heartless crimes in this vicinity for many years.

LEUTGERT CASE

LEGAL ORATORY AND SARCASTIC DENUNCIATION OF DR. ALLPORT.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Chicago, Oct. 12.—People who admire legal oratory crowded the court room here today to hear Assistant State Attorney McOwen's argument in the Leutgert case. Rarely is a witness handled with such biting sarcasm and such scornful denunciation as was heaped upon Dr. Allport by him.

YELLOW FEVER AGAIN.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 12.—Several new cases and two deaths were reported this morning. The news of the fever at Houston has created no great surprise here and the same regulations will be enforced against that city as against Galveston.

BURNS AND FLAHERTY

MATCHED TO FIGHT AT MANHATTAN ATHLETIC CLUB.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Troy, N. Y., Oct. 12.—Larry Burns who is matched to fight Martin Flaherty in the arena of the Manhattan Athletic club in this city, October 26, last night put up his forfeit of $100. Flaherty's forfeit has been up some days. The money was placed in the hands of the sporting editor of the Troy Evening Standard. Burns is already in training. He will be assisted by Sammy Kelly, who will act as his chief second and adviser at the ringside.

NEW BEDFORD'S CELEBRATION.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New Bedford, Mass., Oct. 12.—It was Governor's Day today in the semi-centennial celebration. Governor Wolcott and staff were present and reviewed the parade. They will be tendered a banquet in the evening.

MONSTER PLANT

FOR PRODUCING IRON PERFECTED BY CARNEGIE.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

Milwaukee, Wis., Oct. 12.—Andrew Carnegie has perfected the largest iron producing combination in the world by securing the lease of the Tilden mine. He will operate this in connection with his other mines.

FRONTIER FIGHT

BETWEEN SETTLERS AND SHEPHERDS ENDS FATALLY.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Pocatello, Idaho., Oct. 12.—News just received from Long Valley states that there has been a battle between settlers and shepherds in which three men were killed. The settlers warned the shepherds to leave the valley and when they refused, made an attack on their camp.

VERDICT FOR PUPIL.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Nashua, N. H., Oct. 12.—A jury today awarded Miss Edna Martin one hundred dollars damage and her diploma in a suit against the principal of the McGaw institute. She was refused a diploma at graduation, without just cause.

TOWN TOPICS.

Last evening the celebrated Broadway comedians, World, Keller and Mack in the "Town Topics," a travesty in three acts written by this company under the management of Yank Newell, drew a large audience to Music Hall. They were convulsed with laughter for two hours and half, yet there is no special plot to the play. It opens up with a boarding house scene in New York. The boarders consist of one half a dozen young soubrettes, who make things decidedly lively from their first entrance on the stage until the fall of the curtain by their antics, songs, witticisms, and other amusing feature. A very pretty and catchy thing was the High school girls in their art of making love. There were also coon songs by John World and Bessie Philips. Willie Work was one of the funniest men that has been seen for a long time. He was as loose as ashes and could tie himself in a knot, it would seem. Among his antics was a funny walk that he should have patented, although there is no great danger of anybody infringing on it, as it seems that only he would be able to twist himself in the many shapes that he did, which convulsed the audience with laughter. The whole performance is a fun-maker and a play to drive away the blues. It is a decided success and is well worthy of a large patronage. Their jokes and funny sayings are decidedly original. This play continues this evening, tomorrow afternoon and evening, and people who enjoy a good hearty laugh should not fail to attend the performance at Music Hall.

FEAST OF THE SUCCOTH.

The Jews of this city are at present observing the feast of tabernacles. For eight days the wanderings of the Hebrews will be commemorated by religious services and cessation from servile work. In the yards and on the roofs of all local Hebrews who can afford it, tents or booths are erected and in these the services take place, notwithstanding the condition of the weather. Services were begun in the McIntyre street synagogue on Sunday the leaders being Rabbi Wolfson and Messrs. A. Greenberg, S. Rovitsky, M. Ulovitch and Messrs. Goldman, Ornoff and Dunn. The observance will come to a close next Monday.

SPAIN'S NEW MOVE

To Employ Cubans to Conquer Cuba.

NATIVES TO BE ENLISTED IN SPANISH ARMY.

Another Futile Move as the Last Resort.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Madrid, Oct. 12—A semi-official statement issued after the cabinet meeting yesterday, says that by employing native volunteers in Cuba, instead of European troops, the expense of the campaign would be decreased and operations against the insurgents could be conducted more rapidly.

RELEASE BY FORCE

CAPTAIN DREYFUS WHO SOLD INFORMATION TO FOREIGN GOVERNMENTS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

London, Oct. 12.—A special from Paris says that an association has been formed to secure the release of Captain Dreyfus, who was sentenced for selling war department plans to foreign governments.

JACK THE RIPPER

FOUND AT LYONS GUILTY OF EIGHT MURDERS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Lyons, France, Oct. 12.—A shepherd named Vacher has been arrested at Belley, the department of Ain, charged with committing a series of so-called Jack-the-Ripper-murders. He confessed killing four shepherds, three girls and two old women.

STREET RAILWAY MEN.

On Thursday evening, November 18, the local street railroad men's organization will hold their third annual ball at Huntington hall. Hibbard's orchestra has been engaged for the occasion the decorations will be attractive and the affair will be made highly enjoyable.

TURKEY'S TERMS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Constantinople, Oct. 12.—The circular of the Turkish government, sent to the powers on the subject of Crete proposes the disarmment of both Christians and Mussulmen by Ottoman troops, co-operating with the International forces; the appointment of the governor of Crete by the Sultan and the formation of a Gendarmery corps. The circular points out the necessity for immediate action.

COMPULSORY INSURANCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Berne, Switzerland, Oct. 12.—The national council has adopted a bill making insurance against sickness compulsory in the case of all persons not having independent means. This is a step farther than any government has yet dared to go, but it will undoubtedly lessen the number of paupers who become a public charge.

DEATHS.

TIERNEY—Kate Tierney, aged 25 years, daughter of Patrick and Margaret Tierney, died this morning at their home, 4 Crawford street.

BAMFORD—Joseph Bamford, aged 15 years, son of Joseph and Kate Bamford died yesterday at their home, 62 Main street.

LUKE BURKE

LOSES FIGHT TO SAMMY KELLY—DECISION UNJUST.

Buffalo, Oct. 11.—Sammy Kelly of New York, champion featherweight pugilist of the world, and Luke Burke of Lowell, Mass., fought 20 rounds before the Empire Athletic club here tonight, and the champion was awarded the decision by Referee Jack Sheehan of Boston.

The fight was a pretty contest, and while Kelly was declared to be the winner on points, Burke put up a game battle and made many friends by his plucky stand.

The betting was $100 to $60 on Kelly. After the battle there were many arguments on the men and the fight. The prevailing opinion is that Burke should have at least been given a draw.

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4 cans good Peas, 25c.
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England is imitating American goods and exporting them to China. It seems that England has copied some of our American tricks in the manufacturing business.

Miss Goelet and Miss Astor, two prominent heiresses, are now in the market searching for titles. They remind us forcibly of Senator Morgan's remark in congress about "fatted heifers ready for market."

It is now conceded that Guldensuppe's head was thrown overboard in New York harbor, and the man who did the deed, it is alleged, is willing to testify to that effect. If this be so, there will be sufficient evidence to convict the perpetrators of one of the most brutal murders in the criminal annals of this country.

Rev. Peter Ronan of Dorchester, brother of Rev. Fr. Ronan of this city, has just finished the celebration of his 25th anniversary as pastor of St. Mary's church. It is also the 25th anniversary of the founding of the church, because Rev. Fr. Ronan started his large parish 25 years ago in a little assembly hall, but now has one of the finest churches in Boston in the Dorchester district. He is also beloved by his people, just as is Rev. Fr. Ronan of this city.

The imposing parade of last Saturday was a fair illustration of how good work may be perpetuated. It was in 1849 when Fr. Mathew visited Boston and Lowell and sowed the seeds of total abstinence, which are apparent throughout the archdiocesan union of Boston at the present time. This is a contradiction of Shakespeare's epigram that would lead one to believe that the good that men do is usually interred with their bones.

Richard Croker was the subject of an able article in the New York World quite recently by Editor Stead. This distinguished writer described Mr. Croker's rise to greatness without education or the opportunities which usually lead upward. If the democratic candidate for mayor of Greater New York be defeated at the next election, Editor Stead may drop around and write up the fall of Boss Croker. It appears that the time is at hand when the boss in New York politics will take a back seat. It may be Croker's turn next.

The work of the New York Journal, in liberating Evangelina Cisneros, is without a parallel in the work of newspapers. The liberation of this fair young Cuban was planned and successfully carried out by men to whom the work was assigned by Editor Hearst of the New York Journal. In this, as in the Guldensuppe case and many other instances, the New York Journal has immeasurably distanced its competitors. It is to be congratulated on its success in this case, notwithstanding the risk of complications with Spain, which may demand the return of Miss Cisneros to the authorities at Havana.

The democratic rally arranged for Huntington Hall on Friday night should be attended by every citizen interested in the financial question. There is at present a disposition to credit the McKinley administration with the improvement in the times and to believe that the rise in the price of wheat has demolished the arguments in favor of bimetallism, but those who attend the rally on Friday night will have their minds disabused of any such delusion. They will learn that the present improvement in the times is due to a temporary cause,—namely, the rise in the price of wheat, and that there is liable to be a relapse in business as soon as the price of wheat falls. It will be interesting to hear Mr. Williams discuss the whole question, as he can in a most convincing and logical manner.

The authorities at London have announced that they are willing to provide relief measures to prevent suffering on account of famine in Ireland. There is so much red tape about the relief measures usually adopted by England, however, that the people die before the relief reaches them. In 1847 when Ireland was suffering the throes of famine, she received assistance from the United States, from Russia, and from other countries outside England, but England contributed nothing. It was then charged that a portion of the relief cargoes were intercepted on their way to Ireland and prevented from reaching their destination. England would not attempt anything of that kind at the present day, but there is very little chance that her generosity towards Ireland will ever grow to anything like liberality.

CURRENT COMMENT

Lawrence Tribune—It is significant that no Union Jacks were carried in the procession in honor of Parnell at Dublin yesterday. The green flag and the stars and stripes were the only emblems in the big parade, which was remarkable for the numbers that participated in it, showing the tenacity of the regard in which the dead leader is held by the Irish people.

Pawtucket Times—For Sale: One trocha; has successfully kept Captain-General Weyler in Havana for several months. Apply to Sagasta, assignee of Spain.

Woonsocket Reporter—If Thomas Moore abused Thomas Jefferson he followed the example of a great many distinguished Americans of his day, who did not write as good poetry.

Springfield Republican — Senator Lodge is quoted as saying that Hawaii in case of its annexation, will not be made into a state. But what guarantee are we to have against future agitations in the direction of statehood? The Hawaiians themselves naturally will desire the additional dignity, and if the islands prove to be strongly republican, under their restricted suffrage, a support will arise in the United States in their favor. Are we ever to have presidential elections turn on the vote in Honolulu?

Haverhill Gazette—What is all this gush the Boston papers are indulging in about Governor Wolcott's son? It is to be forever the misfortune of the children of distinguished parents to be mooned over and written up ad nauseam by adolescent space-writers? It is no credit to the son of the governor that he is physically strong and manly in his actions. With all the advantages that wealth has placed within his reach, it would be to his discredit if young Wolcott was anything but manly. Such adulation is positively sickening.

Providence Telegram—Will the competition between North and South does any one suppose purchasers of cotton will pay more for a rectangular bale than a round one because they want to promote the prosperity of the middlemen and local interests who now make something out of handling the raw material? That might be a charitable policy, but that is not the sort which this generation follows, and it is not much unlike its predecessors, either, except that competition is bitterer and margins of profit narrower. One New Orleans dealer says the adoption of the new kind of cotton baling would throw out of business all the 200 compresses in the South, and would mean a revolution—not only a revolution in a business sense, but one in which the people of the country will rise up in arms against the closing up of a business that now gives employment to so many working people. They will think better of that. Such ideas have been exploited in England and elsewhere, but if the round bale is the cheapest, the round bale will come into use.

BOXING GOSSIP

The Lowell friends of Luke Burke are much chagrined at the result of his encounter with Sammy Kelly for they firmly believed that he would at least have got a draw. There is no question that he was robbed of the decision and undoubtedly another match will be made. The fight in detail was described as follows:

During fourteen rounds Burke did most of the leading and landed repeatedly on Kelley's face and breast, but the champion made up considerable lost ground from the 15th round out. He rushed the Salem boy, who was tiring, and landed frequently though not hard.

The fight was advertised as a 20-round bout for the 115-pound championship of America. The boys entered the ring a few minutes after 10 o'clock after two warm preliminaries had been fought. Kelly weighed 114½, while Burke was a pound less.

Behind the New Yorker were Jimmy Dime, Pop Sawyer of England and Pat Moran. Burke was seconded by his brother Eddie, Charlie Baker and Jack Herman of New York. Both boys were in fine shape, but Burke looked to be trained finer. Sammy was full of confidence, while Burke appeared nervous.

At the gong both sprang into the ring and sparred. Kelley was the taller, but Burke the more stocky. During the first round there was no fighting of consequence, but in the second Burke landed two telling lefts on Sammy's jaw. They mixed in up in Luke's corner and honors were easy at the bell.

Burke stopped Kelley's rushes in the third, and got in several blows that hurt. A left swing on the nose made Sammy sniff. Burke landed two hard lefts on the ribs and three hard facers in the next round, while Kelley failed to land anything. The fifth was all Burke's, too.

Kelley landed only one blow, a swing on the neck, while Luke put in half a dozen jabs on the face that made Sammy wince. Kelley had the better of the sixth landing a couple of hard ones on Luke's cheek and jaw. The seventh was Burke's two to one, while the eighth was about even, with little damage done. The ninth was likewise a Burke round, for during its length Kelley failed to land a single blow, while Burke punched him time and again.

Kelley got Burke in a corner in the 10th and was giving it to him right and left when the bell rang, and probably saved Luke who was up against the ropes and helpless. The next four rounds found Burke doing the leading and landing. Kelley was unable to get in a punch that hurt.

When the gong sounded for the 16th, Kelly put on steam and rushed Burke and got in some telling punches against a couple of weak ones delivered by Luke. The 17th was even up, but in the 18th, 19th and 20th, the champion put forth his best efforts in punishing Burke severly. At the finish his lips were puffed up and he was bleeding profusely at the mouth. The decision of a draw would have pleased the crowd, which numbered 2500.

After the battle Kelley said: "Burke is a game little fighter and about the hardest nut I have ever been up against. He fought well but I earned the decision."

Manager Flaherty and Danny McBride are scheduled to box twenty rounds on October 28.

GOING TO LAWRENCE.

A party of Lowell men will attend the meeting of the Lawrence board of trade tonight. They will speak on the proposed state highway from Lowell to Lawrence. Charles Shepard of Hancock street, Lawrence, will also be present and explain his new method of treating waste suds from wool washing. Mr. Shepard has this new method patented and desires to interest local men in the formation of a concern to push this new industry.

NEW RULE

FOR THE MASSACHUSETTS BOWLING LEAGUE.

At the last meeting of the Massachusetts Amateur Bowling league, the report of the committee empowered to reorganize the league was read, and to the astonishment of several delegates, an order was introduced "that clubs who are members of the league shall be debarred from bowling with other teams in the state that are not regular league members. E. E. Babb of the Melrose A. C. of Melrose said that it was rather a peculiar situation to force other clubs to join the league, and moved that the order be laid on the table.

John B. Swift of Les Miserables of Lowell said that in time it would practically eliminate bowling if such a plan was adopted. The committee also recommended that the body should be legislative, with a view to improving bowling and that no clubs be admitted unless they owned alleys. It was voted to elect a president, three vice-presidents, a secretary, treasurer, a membership committee, a committee on rules, and a qualification committee. The qualification tribunal will determine the amateur status of every bowler. It was voted that the two-ball system be adopted, the actual pins knocked down to count.

The order which was reported by the recommendation committee prohibiting clubs to bowl with outside teams was laid on the table until the next meeting.

CRISP GOSSIP.

I have a friend, who, like all his fellow creatures, is now suffering with inevitable cold. He differs from the majority in that he partakes of all the medicines that are recommended to him by sympathizers. His condition did not improve, however, and as a last straw, thinking it could do no harm, anyway, even though it would do no good, he took a ride on an open car, as suggested by some one. By last accounts my friend is confined at the hospital, and his life is being despaired of.

I saw two curiosities in bicycles yesterday in Boston. One, in place of the ordinary handlebar, had a handle of about the size and shape of a common faucet handle attached to the post. This the rider could manipulate with one hand, while the other was employed with a huge bundle. The second machine comprised two ordinary safeties connected as to their frames by horizontal bars. Supported by these bars, there was a seat and foot rest for a third person.

An ingenious invention is coming into use in New York, designed to protect railroads from the peculations of ticket sellers. By means of a dial and index, which may be set at a degree representing the price and distance, a concealed printing mechanism is automatically adjusted. One turn of a crank causes a newly printed ticket to be ejected, which bears a serial number, the price, and the destination on its face. Meanwhile, an automatic adder inside has recorded the sale in much the manner of the cash registers now in use.

Mr. Charles Riordan of Boston, a well known liquor drummer who has a host of friends in Lowell, bears a striking resemblance to a local clergyman, so striking in fact, that he is often mistaken for the reverend gentleman. As he walked along Central street a few days ago, and before he was made aware of the resemblance, he was very much surprised at being accosted by a slightly intoxicated individual, whom he had noticed approaching him and who said to him: "I know you're looking at me, Father, and I know what you're going to say to me, but I promise you faithfully that I'll take the pledge for a year in the morning. Mr. Riordan, though greatly surprised, was equal to the emergency and said: "All right, my good man, be sure you take it, for if you don't, I'll find out about it."

A GAME DINNER.

A delightful game dinner of rabbit, partridge and quail, tastefully served, by George Kitchener, was enjoyed by Tom Boyle and a party of friends at the Quincy yesterday. The game was supplied by a party of amateur huntsmen who went through the suburban woods a few days ago. As George is an artist in the culinary line the dinner was fit for royalty.

GRAND SACRED CONCERT.

An excellent concert will be given in Memorial hall on Sunday evening, October 17, for the benefit of St. Andrew's church. The musicians will include many from Lowell and several distinguished artists from out of town.

MUCH TIMBER DESTROYED.

Malone, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Adirondack forest fires have destroyed many thousands of dollars worth of timber in this county. The extremely high winds have started fires in many localities. Over 1000 acres in one tract of heavily timbered land were burned over in the town of Brandon, bordering the Malone town line. The fire warden says if the wind changes to the west many homes of farmers in that vicinity will be destroyed.

The east side of Mount Immortelle was burned all over, much valuable timber being destroyed. Fires are also burning in the woods at Chateaugay lake and also in the vicinity of Ayres hotel at Lake Duane.

FOUR MEN BURNED.

Youngstown, O., Oct. 13—Four men were badly burned, one probably fatally, by a "slip" at a furnace of the Mahoning Valley iron company. The injured are: Simon Christian, Jesse Franklin, both colored; Joseph Dietl and Arthur Harskin. Christian is thought to be fatally burned.

QUARREL ENDS IN MURDER.

New York, Oct. 13.—Johannes Boyson and Gottfried Tietz, two young sailors, quarrelled last night in a boarding house, and Boyson shot Tietz in the breast and then shot himself in the abdomen. Both men were taken to hospital, where Boyson soon afterwards died. Tietz cannot recover. He had signed articles to leave this port today as mate on a schooner.

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PROPOSITION REJECTED.

Brockton, Mass., Oct. 13.—The striking shoe makers held a mass meeting last night, about 400 being present, representing Stoughton, Whitman, Rockland and Brockton. The sole fasteners, finishers, edgemakers and machine operators' unions were well represented. It was voted unanimously to reject the proposition of the manufacturers, who offered two cents per pair to sole fasteners and to take back men only as they needed them.

Most of the manufacturers are now determined to fight all winter, as the season is now so spoiled that they can do nothing on their present run of work. Several manufacturers threaten to quit the business and retire rather than to have more trouble with their help. The sole fasteners are waiting for admission to the Boot and Shoe Makers' union when they expect that the other unions will help them out of their trouble by striking. There is much doubt, however, that the fasters will again go out on strike at least until April.

PRINCETONS IN POOR FORM.

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 13.—The sudden reversal in form of last year's champions is inexplicable, unless the new feature of Princeton's play, an open game, is taken into account. Three days ago they were stronger than any of the "big four"; today Harvard and possibly Pennsylvania might defeat them. However, it is evident that Cuneches Moffatt, Poe, Ward and George have an object in view in putting the "tigers" through the new form of practice, and in all probability the strongest eleven in the country in open play will be evolved from the line backing aggregation.

AUGUSTA DOCTOR MISSING.

New York, Oct. 13.—F. W. Kinsman, a druggist, asked the police to send out a special alarm for Dr. George Brackett of Augusta, Me. Mr. Kinsman is a townsman of Dr. Brackett and acted at the request of his relatives in Augusta, who telegraphed him that Dr. Brackett had disappeared. The dispatch stated that Dr. Brackett's mind was probably affected.

Mr. Kinsman said that Dr. Brackett called at his store on Saturday, but, as he was extremely busy at the time, he did not talk to him and did not learn where he was staying. He seemed mentally sound. He also heard from Dr. Brackett by telephone on Sunday. He thinks that the doctor is all right and is staying at some hospital. Dr. Brackett is married and has been in practice in Augusta for six years. He is about 35 years old.

SUICIDAL MANIA AMONG WOMEN.

Corning, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Mrs. O. E. Edwards, aged 35 years, committed suicide by taking a dose of poison. She had separated from her husband, and was addicted to the morphine habit.

During the past two weeks three other women have attempted suicide by poisoning, and a short time before another woman ended her life by blowing her brains out.

WHISKY TRUST PROPOSED.

New York, Oct. 13.—A whisky trust of tremendous proportions is about to be formed. If all the whisky distillers who have been asked to join it do so, it will represent more than $60,000,000 capital, and will in the future be in the position to dictate prices of all the whiskys made in Kentucky and of all the high class brands made in other states.

PONY THIEF CAUGHT.

Athol, Mass., Oct. 13.—A man giving his name as Jerry Race and hailing from Brandon, Vt., was arrested here on the charge of stealing two Shetland ponies and a phaeton from Auburndale Sunday night. A description of the thief, which caused his arrest, was received from the Newton police. Race had already bargained to sell one pony to C. L. Morse of Athol for $50.

SHOT THROUGH THE HEAD.

Quincy, Mass., Oct. 13.—Edward C. Winnerberger, a carriage painter, 41 years of age and unmarried, committed suicide last evening by shooting through the head in a lot in the rear of the city hospital. His place of business at Quincy Point was burned some time ago, and it is thought that his loss may have preyed upon his mind, as no other reason for the suicide can be ascertained.

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AVERTED A NATIONAL CALAMITY.

Nobly and Patriotically He Dedicated Himself to McKinley and the Gold Trust. Free From Guile and Self Interest. Touching Confession of a Good Man.

All the world knows how previously, how unanimously and how enthusiastically Mark Hanna jumped into the political ring last year and whooped things up for his friend Mr. McKinley. Everybody knows that as an all around delegate getter, distributer of money in places where it will do the most good and for general hustling and rabrousling Mr. Hanna is the boss. He is a political athlete and roustabout. He located whey troughs at every crossroads and filled them with what was the most desired by mere political swine. In short, he developed and brought into the work every tough and every rough worker whose services money could buy. All these things are known to the world. The memory of poor old Tweed becomes fragrant by comparison with the recent political manipulations by Hanna. The great Master told the Pharisees that they strained at a gnat and swallowed a camel. Our modern Pharisees who had strained at Tweed swallowed Hanna. When that stalwart old Republican fighter, Thaddeus Stevens, was asked to oppose a Republican office seeker on the ground that he was a very bad man, he replied, "Well, he's our damned rascal, isn't he?" We will leave the reader to make the application.

Our modern Tweed, enlarged and improved, aspires to a new role. We hardly know what name to give it. He has made a speech in which he exhibited himself as the great savior of his country, or, to be more precise, his "beloved country." And then, too, he was the lover of a friend—his friend McKinley. He loved him with a passion that knew no bounds, and he loved him because he knew he was a "patriot." But how feeble are our own words in endeavoring to condense the ecstatic language of Mr. Hanna! Here it is. Let it be copied into every paper, spread it upon the walls of our cities and let it be pasted upon the inside of our huts. He said:

I could see in the light of experience the danger which threatened our beloved country. I saw the opportunity; I saw the man; I thought I saw what was in the hearts of the American people. I, in my own heart, vowed to give myself to the cause of my friend McKinley, not only because he was my friend—that would have been enough to have commanded all my energies—but I knew him from the day that he entered public life, I had been close to his side. I knew the workings of his mind. I knew the promptings of his heart, and I knew that he was a patriot. I knew that such a man was called upon to avert a calamity which threatened our nation, and to that cause, my country's cause, I gave my time and nearly my life.

Every "sound money" man will feel just like hugging Mr. Hanna when he reads these fiery words. He will make a good armful, but let him be hugged half at a time if necessary. To think of the dear man taking alarm at the danger with which the bimetallists were threatening his beloved country, and then only to think of the things he saw! He saw the opportunity for saving the country. He saw the man whom he would use as an instrument in saving the country and he saw right into the hearts of the American people. Of course he saw different things in different hearts. But that aside. He thought he saw into them. Then in his great heart, so tender and so loving, so noble and so patriotic, so free from guile and from self interest, he dedicated himself to the great cause of—McKinley, his friend. He would not have us believe that this was solely because he was McKinley's friend, although he says that would have been reason enough. But he knew him.

From the day he took office he had been close to his side. And here the excitement begins. He knew the workings of McKinley's mind. That is just what we said last fall. We even went so far as to say that McKinley's mind was being worked by Hanna, and we were right. Who could know the workings of McKinley's mind better than the man who was working it? Then Hanna knew that McKinley was a patriot, because he knew "the promptings at his heart." There again we are confirmed. It was not the promptings of McKinley's heart, but the promptings at his heart from the heart of another man—namely, the heart of Marcus Hanna.

And now for the climax. Hanna knew that the man thus hypnotized was called upon to ward off the calamity which threatened the nation's life. And then he exclaimed, "To that cause—my country's cause—I gave my time and nearly my life." If there was a dry eye in that house when Hanna said that, it ought never to be allowed to shed another tear. If there was a pin that could not have made itself heard by dropping upon the floor during the breathless moment which followed this climax, then that pin ought to have its head taken off immediately.

We thank Mr. Hanna for letting the world know how truly good he was in giving us McKinley, when we might have had Reed. Suppose Reed had carried off the convention at St. Louis and had then obstinately refused to avert the calamity which threatened the nation! Where would we have been then, and where would have been the prosperity which is now jingling in every poor man's pocket?

We are inclined to think that in consideration of this great and unselfish service Hanna's birthday should be made a national holiday. His name ought to go down to posterity as the very least as the stepfather of his country.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

Rosy Cheeks and Sparkling Eyes.

Follow the use of Utah Kidney Beans.

The Turners' great discovery. The warning notes from the kidneys are, backache, urinary trouble, frequent thirst, rheumatism, burning urine, dropsical swellings, irregular heart action. Heed the warning at once. Your life is in danger. Utah Kidney Beans regulate the kidneys, cure all urinary and bladder troubles surely and quickly. Utah Kidney Beans, discovered and perfected by The Turners, of Philadelphia. THE TURNERS also make

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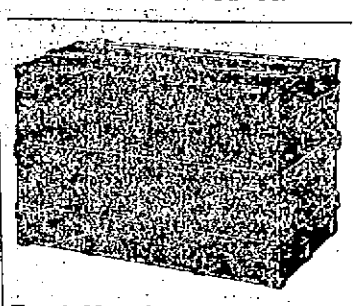

Trunk Manufactory, 72 Middlesex Street,

(Old Wooden Building.) All orders promptly attended to and work delivered to all parts of the city.

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Land Sale

In Pawtucketville

In the New District

Will be at the corner of Moody street and Fourth avenue every afternoon.

WM. H. EMERY.

TAXES.

Collector's Notice.

The assessors have committed to the Collector of Taxes the

TAX LIST FOR 1897,

With instructions to collect in the matter prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth and the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the Collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

WARRANTS will be promptly issued for the collection of the Poll Taxes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or about November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1897, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed on every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

The assessors are now distributing Tax Bills. If any ratable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the first day of May, or from any cause, should not receive his Tax Bill, he must consider the Tax demanded by this notice, and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1897 IS $17.40 ON $100.

Office Hours: From 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 p. m.

For the convenience of the Tax paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 4 to 16 inclusive, 7 to 8 o'clock p. m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from Oct. 18 to Oct. 20, inclusive, from 7 to 9 o'clock p. m.

☞ Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence May 1st, 1897, and bring it with you.

CHARLES F. COBURN,

City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

WANT COLUMN.

WANTED—EVERYBODY TO KNOW that we are first class carpenters at 62 Merrimack street. John W. Kinnan, carpenter and general jobber. All orders promptly attended to.

TO LET—A FOUR-ROOM TENEMENT, 77 Chestnut street.

TO LET—A NICE LARGE BASEMENT, well lighted, can be used for cutting or brilliant printing rooms. Apply at Leggatt & Co., One Price Jewelers, 70 Central street.

LADIES—CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH PENNYROYAL PILLS (Diamond Brand) are the Best, Safe, reliable. Take no other. Send 4c in stamps for particulars, "Relief for Ladies," in letter by return mail. At druggists. Chichester Chemical Co., Philadelphia, Pa.

WANTED—500 YOUNG AND OLD MEN TO bring their old clothes to Fred P. Lewis Dye House and Clothes Cleaning establishment at 477 Merrimack street, where he can make your old suit as good as new for a small sum.

I CAN'T SLEEP—CONFOUND THE BUGS. You can if you use Noonan's Sure Death to Bugs. 25c at Dows', Central street. A. Moore's, Gorham street, pharmacists.

ROOMS TO LET—IN THE SUN BUILDING Inquire at Sun office.

MENTHOL CREAM SHAMPOO IS USED in all the leading hair dressing and bath parlors in New England. Menthol Cream Shampoo removes Dandruff and all humors of the scalp. It contains alcohol, glycerine, and menthol. It gives a rich, creamy lather and when used in the bath will remove pimples, etc., leaving the skin clear and soft. 35 cents per bottle. Sold by leading druggists.

WANTED—LOCAL MANAGER IN EVERY town; wages $2 per day. Add ess with business reference, stating age, Globe Building, Rochester, N. Y.

FOR SALE—ONE MILE FROM LOWELL, good house and barn, large henery, one acre of land. Price $1400. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WAGONS—OWING TO LACK OF STORAGE, I am obliged to sell at any price the following wagons: viz—1 high grade democrat, 1 first class grocers wagon, 1 very fine top square wagon, 1 extra second hand square wagon. 6 Robins St., off Merrimack street.

TO LET—FIRST CLASS TENEMENTS OF five rooms at 5½ Moody street. Inquire at 81 Merrimack street.

FOR SALE—NEAR MIDDLESEX STREET, eight room house and barn, 9001 feet of land. Price $1700. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FURNISHED ROOMS, STEAM HEAT, clean and quiet, 117 Merrimack street.

OPEN FOR THE SEASON—URBAN HALL and 3 small halls to let for parties and socials by the day, week or month at reasonable rates. Apply Room 1, Urban block.

WANTED—A SITUATION AS COOK AT A hotel. Can speak French or English and furnish the best of references. Address T., Sun Office.

TO LET—A NICELY FURNISHED ROOM in Belvidere, five minutes walk from Merrimack square. References required. Apply at Sun office.

FOR SALE—NEAR WASHINGTON STREET, good cottage house of seven rooms, large lot of land and fruit. Price $1650. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO BUY their Clothing on credit. Custom made and ready to wear. Empire Clothing Co., Over 97 Central St. Open evenings.

FOR SALE—TWO VALUABLE HOUND PUPS, six months old in the vicinity of Lakeview. One is a black and tan, and the other white, black and tan. The finder will be rewarded if by returning them to A. Peis, 989 Lakeview avenue.

BACHELLORS WILL FIND NICE FURnished, sunny rooms, well appointed, at 145 Cross street, Mrs. Nawn.

AGENTS WANTED—GREATEST OFFER out. We furnish everything; no experience required; liberal terms. Write for full information, showing actual results. Mutual Manufacturing Co., 126 Chambers street, New York.

FOR SALE—IN PAWTUCKETVILLE, GOOD cottage house in first-class repair, large lot of land. Price $1000. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LOST—ON MIDDLESEX STREET, A BUNdle containing a pair of trousers and a shirt. Return to J. L. Chalifoux's store and receive reward.

LADIES, MY MONTHLY REGULATOR has brought happiness to hundreds of anxious women. I have never had a single failure; no other doctor can say this. Longest cases relieved in 2 to 5 days without fail, no pain; no danger; no interference with work; price $2.00; by mail or at office; consultation free; all letters truthfully answered. DR. TOLMAN CO., 102 Tremont street, Boston.

WANTED—A KITCHEN GIRL AT 46 MERrimack Square.

FOR SALE—GOOD BOARDING AND LODGING house good location. Price $350. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FOUND—A WHITE BULLDOG IN THE Highlands. Call at No. 1 Summer street, Molloy's Court. M. Souza.

WANTED—A MAN WHO IS WILLING TO learn a paying business. Steady work. Good pay. No canvassing. 49 Middlesex street, room 76.

FOR SALE—GOOD FARM OF EIGHTY acres, good set of building, some fruit, with 4 cows, 28 hens, 20 tons of hay, 2 wagons and all the farming tools. Seven miles from Lowell. Price $2600. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LOST—BETWEEN CHARLES ST. TRAINing school and Williams street, a gold locket and chain. Finder will please return to 68 Williams street and be rewarded.

KNIVES, FORKS AND SPOONS REPLATED with silver and white metal. Lowest prices in town. For best work go to Middlesex Plating Works, 27 Shattuck street. Gold, silver, Copper and nickel plating.

LOST—BETWEEN ROBINSON STREET and Hosford Square, pocketbook containing sum of money and receipt with Lizzie M. Young's name. Return to 15 Robinson street and receive reward.

WANTED—AT ONCE, LADY AND MEN canvassers. Something new. Salary and commission. Empire Clothing Co., Over 97 Central street.

A MANAGER FOR OLD ESTABLISHED business with $150. Must be reliable. Address B, Sun Office.

HARRIE E. TWEED, MAGNETIC HEALER, is at his residence, 23 So. Loring st., Wednesdays 4 to 6, 7 to 9; Saturdays 7 to 9 p. m. Treatment $1.00.

STORE TO LET—$10 PER MONTH. 143 Warren street, near Church street.

TENEMENT TO LET—$13 PER MONTH. 6 rooms. 138 Warren street, near Church St.

LOST—LAST NIGHT A LADIES' GOLD watch chain and charm between Aiken street and O'Donnell & Gilfoyle's store. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

LOST—A POCKETBOOK CONTAINING A sum of money somewhere between Suffolk street and Pawtucketville. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at A. H. Vining's, 74 Mammoth Road.

$15 A MONTH

Will buy this splendid 2½ story hip-roof house of 8 rooms pantry and bath rooms, with tub, marble wash bowls, &c., maple floors in kitchen, dining room, pantry and bath room, hot and cold water. Piazza and balcony, nice lot of land, high and dry, very sightly, near cars and schools. Small payment down secures this bargain. Quick or you lose it. A. J. RYAN, No. 29 A, Hildreth Building, (Old Post Office.)

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CLOTHING ON CREDIT.

Men's Suits and Overcoats, Boys' Clothing Ladies' Garments, Silk Waists, Skirts, Capes, etc., on credit and rebate the difference if you can buy lower elsewhere, even for cash. Come and open an account with us today. CENTRAL SUPPLY CO., 117 Merrimack St., Room 1, over Moir Bros., open every evening.

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YELLOW FEVER'S RAVAGE

It is Worse Than a Labor Strike on Business.

Traffic is Wholly Tied up—New Orleans Has Suffered Terribly—The Quarantine Lines.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 13.—The most serious situation now confronting the people of Texas is the almost complete blockading of travel, owing to the yellow fever scare. Many of the trains on all the principal lines have been abandoned and local lines have stopped running entirely. Both divisions of the Houston and Texas Central and the Southern Pacific are tied up most effectually, not a single wheel moving save in the extreme northern portion of the state.

Every small town in the state is rapidly organizing shotgun quarantines, so trains cannot stop except at the big cities. The situation in the entire state is highly panicky, and the feeling is one of growing alarm and apprehension. By tonight, unless the situation is relieved, the entire southern and central portions of the state will be practically without railroad facilities, as all trains will be stopped.

HOUSTON IN QUARANTINE.

Houston, Oct. 13.—The city woke up yesterday to find itself in quarantine with the declaration of State Health Officer Swearingen, based on the statement of Dr. Guiteras, that four cases of yellow fever existed here. The public schools were not opened, and this fact created some alarm. Few trains left town, and all were filled. The cases have been promptly isolated.

City health officers carefully investigated several cases called to their attention, but pronounced all of them dengue. All four cases are isolated, but no new ones were found. No trains are running now except one between here and Galveston.

NO WORSE IN NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Oct. 13.—The fever situation grew no worse here yesterday, but at the same time the promise is not bright for an immediate reopening of the avenues of industry. Two deaths were announced, but no other fatalities had been reported by nightfall. The cases were as usual widely scattered and increased somewhat the total number under treatment, but at the same time there has been a large number of cases discharged, and the death percentage has suffered a fall.

THREE MORE CASES.

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 13.—Three new cases of yellow fever and no deaths are reported during the past 24 hours. There are three more cases reported on the steamer Kale, lying at Magazine point, three miles above the city. A hospital will be established there and the ship disinfected. The fever is making greatest progress along the center of the residence portion of the city, but still it is not at the ratio noted at the beginning of the outbreak.

BULLETIN ON SITUATION.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Surgeon General Wyman's bulletin on the yellow fever situation shows that new cases occurred yesterday at the following places: Mobile, three; Biloxi, 12; Edwards, 10; Clinton, Miss., one; McHenry, Miss., 11.

LAWLESS RULERS

The Radicals are Plundering Liberal Servians.

TWO HUNDRED BRIGANDS NOW ON TRIAL.

The Victims Tortured With Hot Irons.

London, Oct. 13.—A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Vienna says: The trial of 200 brigands and receivers of stolen property is proceeding at Tschatschak, in Servia. The evidence has revealed systematic plundering and murdering of members of the Liberal party at the instigation of radicals. Deputy Tajsitch, a well-known radical member of the assembly, was arraigned as an accomplice of the brigands, but the radical minister of justice procured his release, and it is expected that the same influence will secure the acquittal of the others. The trial has developed horrifying evidence of the torturing of victims with red hot irons before robbery.

TORNADO IN NEW JERSEY.

New York, Oct. 13.—A tornado struck New Jersey yesterday. It travelled from the little village of Far Hills, near Summit, to Elizabeth. At Elizabeth it wrecked a building and killed a man who had sought shelter there. The storm appeared in the form of a black cloud, which increased in size and rapidity as it approached the village. Its path was about 300 feet wide. A barn belonging to David Dumont was demolished. The roof of a house which stood nearby was stripped of its shingles and shutters. The most serious damage was at the depot, which was unroofed, the heavy tin being rolled up into a mass and carried several hundred feet.

When the storm reached Elizabeth it swept down a partly finished house. John Clarke, a laborer, of Bayonne, with another workman, had taken refuge in the partly completed house, and Clarke was buried in the wreck and killed. His companion managed to get out with slight injuries. Throughout the city the storm did considerable damage, and telegraph and telephone wires are prostrated.

MASONS IN BALTIMORE.

Baltimore, Oct. 13.—The opening exercises of the 30th triennial and also the centennial conclave of the general grand chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the United States were held yesterday at the temple. The morning session was taken up with addresses of welcome, responses and the reports of officers.

The grand council elected the following: General grand master, Bradford Nichol of Tennessee; general grand deputy master, William H. Mayo of Missouri; general grand principal conductor, Dr. Seramus Bowen of Massachusetts; general grand treasurer, Charles H. Heaton of Vermont; general grand recorder, H. W. Nordhurst of Indiana; general grand captain of the guard, A. P. Swanstrom of Minnesota; general grand conductor of council, H. O. Larrabee of Baltimore; general grand marshal, G. M. Acklin of Ohio; general steward, J. T. Baron of South Carolina.

FAREWELL POSTPONED.

New York, Oct. 13.—After addressing a note of farewell to Charles Dana Gibson, telling him of his contemplated suicide, Baron Knopsky, who came here from Rio de Janeiro several months ago, turned on the gas jets in his room at 28 West Twenty-fifth street. The baron was found unconscious in the room by one of Mr. Gibson's employes after the door had been broken open. He was removed to the New York hospital, where he was placed in charge of a detective. If the baron recovers the usual charge of attempted suicide will be preferred against him.

The baron is reputed to have been very wealthy at one time. He is said to have met with financial losses within the last few years. Mr. Gibson said that he knew the baron only in a business way.

NOTABLE GATHERING.

New Haven, Oct. 13.—The city of elms, which has, on many occasions, been the scene of notable gatherings, has probably at no time entertained a more prominent assemblage of religious workers as are now in attendance at the 87th annual meeting of the American board of foreign missions, which opened here yesterday, and will continue through Friday. The delegates include many of the most prominent men in the Congregational church, and there is every indication that the convention will be one of the most successful ever held.

FAST TRIAL BY JURY.

Concord, N. H., Oct. 13.—What is believed to be the shortest jury trial on record in this state took place in the supreme court for Merrimack county yesterday. The case was that of the state vs. Edward Cox of Pembroke, accused of selling malt liquor, a second offense. County Solicitor Fletcher presented the state's case, and two witnesses testified. The defense offered no evidence and the case was given to the jury. A verdict of guilty was brought in and a fine of $50 and costs imposed, all in less than 30 minutes.

THE SEAL QUESTION AGAIN

Ashtonishment Over Position of England Toward Conference.

Heavy Increase in Exports—The Government's Plea for Admission of Arizona to Statehood.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Secretary Sherman has written a reply to the note of Lord Salisbury expressing Great Britain's declination to take part in a Behring sea conference in which Russia and Japan are to participate. The essential features of Mr. Sherman's reply have been sent by cable to the British government, and the reply in full is now on its way to the British authorities. Lord Salisbury's note of declination, it can now be stated, bore date of Oct. 6, last Wednesday, so that the response is made with promptness.

The answer states that the United States government views with astonishment the determination of Great Britain not to participate in a conference including Japan and Russia, and the statement is made that up to the 23rd of last month the United States authorities had fully expected that the conference would proceed with Russia and Japan as well as Great Britain present. It is pointed out that, aside from the written correspondence, to which Lord Salisbury had called attention, there were verbal negotiations between Ambassador Hay and his lordship in which specific reference was made to the participation of Russia and Japan. At one of these verbal exchanges, it is stated, Lord Salisbury said he would advise with the officials of the foreign office concerning the subjects discussed, which included the participation of Russia and Japan. Subsequently, on July 29, Ambassador Hay wrote to Lord Salisbury saying that the president hoped to have Russia and Japan participate in the conference. In view of these circumstances the United States had confidently expected that Great Britain would take part in the conference and that Russia and Japan would be represented with the approval of Great Britain.

Besides the foregoing reply, and in view of the differences which have arisen, the state department suggests a conference in accordance with the terms of Lord Salisbury's agreement as he construes it, namely, between experts of Great Britain, the United States and Canada. This last feature is now under consideration by the British government, its substance having been transmitted by cable; but it is not expected that an answer will be made until Mr. Sherman's answer in detail reached London.

In the meantime preparations for the conference between the United States Russia and Japan are proceeding. While an exact date has not yet been fixed for the conference, the expectation is that all the delegates will be here in time to bring them together Oct. 20.

MILLIONS OF AN INCREASE.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The treasury statement of the principal articles of domestic exports shows that during September the exports of breadstuffs from the United States amounted to $31,629,-840, an increase as compared with September, 1896, of over 100 per cent, and an increase of about 300 per cent over September, 1895. The increase over September, 1894, was about 400 per cent. Other items of exports during September, with increase or decrease as compared with the same month in 1895, are given as follows: Cotton, $14,655,400; decrease, $2,200,000. Mineral oils, $4,850,-591; decrease, $660,000. Cattle and hogs, $3,090,762; increase, $400,000. Provisions, $12,835,422; increase, $2,200,000. For the nine months ended Sept. 30 the exports of breadstuffs, cotton, mineral oil, cattle and hogs and provisions amounted to $399,145,946, an increase as compared with the same period of 1896 of about $62,-140,000.

STOCK BREEDERS' PARADISE.

Washington, Oct. 13.—In the annual report for the past fiscal year of Myron H. McCord, governor of Arizona, made public yesterday the governor makes an elaborate plea for immigrants. Discussing the statehood question, the report says that Arizona has as much wealth as the average of the 22 states admitted from 1791 to 1876. The requirements as to population, education and wealth, the governor says, are fully met. The governor eulogizes the grazing lands as stock breeders' paradise, capable of maintaining 8,000,000 head of cattle a year. The annual wool clip of the territory will aggregate about 10,000,000 pounds.

Governor McCord estimates the territory's population at 87,500. He urges more money for the governor's salary, or authority to the legislature to pay his traveling expenses.

GUESTS IN PANIC

In One of Chicago's Largest Hotels.

A FIRE IN SHERMAN HOUSE SPREAD RAPIDLY.

Inmates Carried Out by the Firemen.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—At 1:20 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the Sherman House, one of the largest hotels in the city, and, although all of the guests and the servants escaped, there was for a time the liveliest kind of a panic among them. The fire originated in the kitchen from a gas stove and spread with great rapidity.

The hotel is now in the course of being remodelled, the entire first story being supported by jack-screws. This open space gave the fire quite a chance, and the strong breeze that was blowing from the west fanned the fire fiercely. In a few minutes the entire building was filled with a dense cloud of smoke, and the attaches of the hotel office were hurrying through the halls calling on the guests to prepare to leave. Many of the guests needed no warning and were in the halls half dressed and more than ready to make their escape to the open air as soon as they saw a chance to do so. There was a wild rush for the street, and in a few minutes all of them, in all conditions of undress, were in the street, or safely on their way to it.

The servants were located in the seventh story of the hotel, and for a time it looked as though some of them would not be able to reach the street in safety owing to the dense clouds of smoke that filled the building. The firemen were compelled to carry several of the girls down two flights of stairs until they could secure a passage way to the street that was comparatively free from smoke, and from this point all of them manged to make their escape from the building without accident.

The flames were confined to the rear portion of the hotel, and although for a time the fire looked to be dangerous the firemen soon had it under control. The damage to the building will not be over 65000.

HARRISON'S CITY DEMOCRATIC.

Indianapolis, Oct. 13.—Thomas Taggert, Democrat, defeated W. N. Harding, Republican, for mayor by a plurality that will reach 5000. The Republicans gave up the fight early, conceding a majority of from 3000 to 5000. At 11 o'clock 120 precincts out of a total of 195 gave Taggert a plurality of 3100. If this ratio keeps up the official count will show a clear plurality for Mayor Taggert of 5000.

The rest of the ticket, including six councilmen-at-large, is elected by from 3000 to 4000. Of the ward councilmen, the Republicans will elect probably not more than four out of 15. Mayor Taggert was deluged with telegrams from all over the country. He is freely spoken of as the next Democratic candidate for governor. He was elected on a silver platform.

NEWS FAKIR AT WORK.

New York, Oct. 13.—District Attorney Youngs, who has charge of the prosecution of the alleged murderers of Guldensuppe, denies that Mrs. Nack is willing to plead guilty to manslaughter and to give evidence against Martin Thorn. He also says that Emanuel Friend, counsel for Mrs. Nack, had not made such a proposition to him on behalf of his client. Further, Mr. Youngs declared that he had no expectations that Mrs. Nack would confess or enter a plea of guilty in any degree.

Mr. Friend characterized the story as "bosh," and said: "I wish to state positively that I have not seen District Attorney Youngs, and that I have not been authorized as alleged."

COLONEL WARING DECLINES.

New York, Oct. 13.—Colonel George E. Waring has declined the nomination of the Jeffersonian Democracy for the office of comptroller. He was asked if any understanding had been had with Charles W. Dayton or any one else to take his place on the George ticket. He replied: "No, not to my definite knowledge. I had expected to know by this time, but I do not. I have not seen Mr. Dayton nor anyone who could speak for him, nor have I received any information from the committee. I am aware, however, that Mr. Dayton has been thought of most prominently as the one to take the nomination."

ONE ADDRESS ENDED.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Assistant State Attorney McEwen finished his argument in the Luetgert trial yesterday, and was followed today by Attorney Phalen, who will make the opening address for the defense. McEwen went over the case carefully, connecting the details of the evidence for the jury and showing how one circumstance fitted into another, and how the whole mass of evidence submitted by the state furnished, in his opinion, a full and complete circumstantial chain, proving that Luetgert had murdered his wife in order that his relations with his servant girl might remain undisturbed.

VACATION PLEASURE MARRED.

Portland, Me., Oct. 13.—John Blair of Boston has been brought to the Maine general hospital in this city. He left Boston to spend two weeks' vacation with his brother at Berlin Falls, and on Saturday he went into the woods on a gunning trip. By the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of one of the party, Blair received a charge of buckshot in the right leg just above the knee. There is some hope of saving his leg.

EVIDENCE OF ARSON.

Concord, N. H., Oct. 13.—The police have discovered evidences of incendiarism in connection with a tenement house fire. The fire broke out in the loft of a tenement occupied by Edward S. Carroll, but was easily subdued by the department. Carroll's son-in-law, Hiland P. Cass, with whom he had quarrelled, and who was seen to leave the loft just before the fire broke out, has been arrested. He asserts his innocence.

BURMANS RAN AMUCK.

Mandalay, Burmah, Oct. 13.—A gang of 25 Burmans, armed with long knives, rushed through the south gate of Mandalay fort Monday night and made for the residence of Major Dobbie. They were driven off by the British officers on duty. Four of the Burmese were killed and four wounded. Lieutenant Harrington of the British force and three sepoys were wounded.

A HEAVY DECISION

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Mr. Sage Becomes Owner of Tideway Land.

New York, Oct. 13.—The court of appeals, in the case of Henry W. Sage against the mayor, has handed down a decision that affects all the land around the island of Manhattan which was formerly in the tideway, and which is valued at over $45,000,000. The suit was brought by Mr. Sage, who was the owner of land on the Harlem river.

The city, in carrying out its plan of improvement, filled in a strip in front of Mr. Sage's land in what is known as the "tideway," that is, the land lying between the high and low water marks. He claimed that the owners of land fronting on the river either owned the land in the tideway when it was filled in by the city, or, if they did not own it, they were entitled to the right of access from the water to their own upland, even if the land should be held to extend only to high water mark.

The rights of the city in relation to the land between high and low water marks are derived from the Dongan charter of 1686 and the Montgomerie charter of 1730. Both Judge Barrett, who tried the case, and the appellate division, on an appeal from Judge Barrett's decision, held that the city of New York under these charters had an absolute ownership of all the land between low and high water mark, and that the construction of an exterior street and bulkhead by the city gave no right of action for damages to an owner of upland who, by this construction, was cut off from the water. This decision has just been affirmed.

FARMHAND BADLY BURNED.

Leominster, Mass., Oct. 13.—The Wilder homestead, house and barn, owned by Emmons Crocker of Fitchburg and situated on the shore of Whalom lake, was burned flat by an accidental fire yesterday afternoon. The house was built in 1695, was a historical landmark and one of the oldest buildings in Worcester county. The combined loss is $3000, insurance, $1200. Edward Griffin, a farmhand, was very badly burned while attempting to extinguish the fire and may die.

ORDER CLERK IN TROUBLE.

Marlboro, Mass., Oct. 13.—George Bursley, an order clerk employed by C. O. Creelman & Co., provision dealers, was before the municipal court yesterday charged by the firm with embezzlement. Mr. Creelman testified that according to inquiry into customers' accounts $214.77 were the sum missed. Bursley was held for the grand jury on probable cause. The allegation is that he received cash from customers, but entered the items as credit accounts.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Senator Tillman is suffering from jaundice. No immediate danger is apprehended.

The budget committee of the French chamber of deputies has voted to increase the standing army by 12,000 men.

It is said that fondness for women and for one in particular had a great deal to do with the downfall of W. A. Trask ex-teller of the bank at Wallingford, Conn., which he robbed of $6000.

Albert Frantz of Dayton, O., is to be electrocuted Thursday night for the murder of his sweetheart. The governor gave Frantz a respite until the 19th to give him a chance before the board of pardons.

The French vintage for the year is very bad, the production being about only half the nominal requirements of France. The Spanish outlook is also bad. The Italian vintage, on the contrary, is exceptionally good in all parts of the country.

One hundred and fifty Christian Endeavorers, representing the several societies in Vermont and New Hampshire which compose T. E. Baldwin union, met at the Congregational church in Oxford, N. H., yesterday afternoon and evening, the occasion being the 15th semi-annual convention.

At a large meeting in Manchester, Eng., a resolution was adopted calling upon the government, "in view of the injurious effects of the dislocation between gold and silver," to take advantage of the overtures of France and the United States and "redeem the government's promises in regard to securing a stable parity between gold and silver."

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NEW ZEALAND LAWS.

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Systems of Taxation.—Public Ownership of Railways, Telegraphs and Telephones. The People Benefited, and Only Monopolists are Dissatisfied.

The governments of the Australasian colonies, and especially New Zealand, are gradually nationalizing, or, if you please, socializing, what in Canada or the United States would be considered individual or corporate business utilities. Legislative measures in Australia proper are not quite so far advanced as in New Zealand, but all the Australian colonies will speedily follow the example of New Zealand. New South Wales has just closed its first (successful) financial year under a policy of free trade and a direct land tax on unimproved values.

Usually when Australian or New Zealand legislation is referred to in the Canadian or American press it is said to be socialistic, anarchistic, wildcat, experimental or trial legislation, and the people look in vain for explanations. A perusal of the following brief reference to some of the measures will assist the reader in coming to a correct conclusion as to whether the New Zealand laws are in the interests of the whole people or in the interests of a few privileged individuals.

First.—The land and income tax assessment act now in force in New Zealand imposes a tax upon incomes and an ordinary tax upon land and mortgages—the amount of which is fixed annually by a rating act. There is also an additional graduated tax upon the unimproved value of land held in large blocks of from one-eighth of a penny to twopence in the pound. Improvements pay no taxes. The income tax is payable upon incomes derived from employment and from business, including investments other than those in mortgages on land upon which the ordinary land tax is levied. An exemption of £300 is allowed to every person domiciled in New Zealand.

Second.—Advances are made by the government to actual settlers—in fact, any farmer may borrow on the security of his farm and improvements an amount ranging from £25 to £8,000 at 5 per cent interest per annum and repay the principal on very easy terms. On this account existing mortgages in favor of private parties or corporate companies which are bearing high rates of interest are being paid off. It is believed that this system will soon be extended so that the artisan class may take advantage of it.

Third.—The schools are national and free.

Fourth.—Over $1,000,000 has already been expended by the government of New Zealand in establishing technical schools.

Fifth.—The government controls the postoffice and postoffice savings banks, and the postage between any two points in New Zealand is a penny, and the deposits in the government savings banks are always available with interest when required.

Sixth.—The government controls and operates the telegraph system in connection with the postal service, and a ten word message costs only sixpence.

Seventh.—The government controls and operates the telephone system, and the charges are about two-thirds the usual Canadian or American charges, and the profits go to government and consequently to the whole people.

Eighth.—The government gives state or national life insurances, and the premium rates are lower than the average rates charged by private companies. Every policy holder feels that he has the whole nation as a guarantee behind his risk.

Ninth.—The government is now perfecting plans in regard to national fire insurance.

Tenth.—The government has practically established a state or national bank. South Australia was first to move in the establishing of a national government bank which is managed in the interests of the people. There is no object in the government forcing citizens into bankruptcy in time of depression.

Eleventh.—The government controls and is responsible for the administration of all estates, for which service a very nominal fee is charged and the widows and orphans are protected from legal troubles.

Twelfth.—The government charges a graduated succession tax of from 2 per cent to 10 per cent according to the value of the estate.

Thirteenth.—The government owns and operates all the railroads excepting one short line, which will also soon be nationalized. The freight and passenger rates on the government roads are such as give about 3½ per cent interest on the capital invested. The rates do not discriminate, neither are they deferential or preferential, nor do the people pay freight and passenger rates necessary to provide interest upon watered stock.

Fourteenth.—Women vote at all elections in New Zealand and also in South Australia, which has undoubtedly had a very beneficial influence.

Fifteenth.—Eight hours constitute a legal day's work, for which fair living wages are paid. This gives the workers more time for mental improvement, recreation, health building, etc., life is considered worth living and shorter hours per day also compensate to some extent for the loss of labor caused by the general use of machinery.

Sixteenth.—The large estates, principally acquired by squatters who located their holdings early in the history of New Zealand, and for which little or nothing was paid, are being purchased by the government for the benefit of actual settlers—that is the estates are assessed for taxation purposes at the owner's valuation, the government reserving the right to take over the land (excepting a homestead, if required) at the owner's valuation, plus 10 per cent, if the owner's valuation is considered too low.

Seventeenth.—A conciliatory board has been established in every town or city where any difficulty is likely to arise between capital and labor. These boards are comprised of three representative business men, three representatives from the trades unions and a district judge. A strike is impossible in New Zealand.

Eighteenth.—Public libraries, museums, parks and gardens have been established in every city and town. Public baths are also found in many places.

Nineteenth.—Considerable of the land adjoining the cities and towns is held as public domain and for small homesteads for the artisan class.

Twentieth.—Wednesday afternoon is the usual half holiday during each week.

I do not know of any country where there are so few very rich and so few very poor as in New Zealand. The laws tend toward providing an equal opportunity to all and to check the overreaching of those possessed of wolfish propensities. It is quite true that party politics still prevail and that the government opposition in New Zealand is dissatisfied, also the money lending and land monopolizing classes, likewise those who have had or who wish to have special privileges, and their cause is championed by a financially strong wing of the press.

The writer spent over eight months in the Australasian colonies and never met a man who could give good or valid reasons why the so called radical laws should be repealed. On the contrary, the general opinion is that an honest administration of the laws will secure for the people of New Zealand unprecedented contentment and prosperity.—T. J. McBride in Twentieth Century.

The Labor Movement.

The labor movement in its broadest terms is the effort of men to live the lives of men. It is a systematic, organized struggle of the masses to obtain primarily more leisure and larger economic resources, but that is not by any means all, because the end and purpose of it all is a richer existence for the toilers, and that with respect to mind, soul and body. Half conscious though it may be, the labor movement is a force pushing toward the attainment of the purpose of humanity; in other words, the end of the growth of mankind—namely, the full and harmonious development in each individual of all human faculties—the faculties of working, perceiving, knowing, loving; the development, in short, of whatever capabilities of good there may be in man.

The true significance of the labor movement is this: It is an attempt to bring to pass the idea of human development which has animated sages, prophets and poets of all ages; the idea that a time must come when warfare of all kinds must cease and when a peaceful organization of society shall find a place wherein its framework is for the best growth of each personality, which one but subserves another's gains. Nor should it excite surprise to divert the movement from its true path into destructive byways. False guides are ever found combating true leaders, and there is backward motion as well as advance. But frequent whirlpools and innumerable eddies do not prevent the onward flow of the mighty system.—Professor R. P. Ely.

Question and Answer.

Democratic and Republican politicians have been saying the country for 80 years on the tariff plan. In the meantime labor every year is worse paid, our farmers get poorer every year, our merchants fail in larger numbers each year, while bankers, trust magnates and stock gamblers pile up princely fortunes. How long will it take the workers to see that what we call government is but a vast machine for transferring the wealth created by labor into the hands of a privileged few? No man, however skillful, industrious or thrifty, could honestly earn one year's income of John D. Rockefeller in 1,000 years. Then how do he and 300 other millionaires get their money? The answer can be read in the pinched faces of 3,000 starving miners, in the shabby clothes of 10,000 toiling mechanics, in the sallow cheeks of 10,000 factory girls and boys and in the mortgages on 1,000,000 farms and homes. "How long, O Lord, how long," will beings in the image of their Maker consent to be blind dupes and slaves?—Nashville Journal of Labor.

Ohio Mortgages.

While we are looking at the bright side of things let us look at the secretary of state's mortgage statistics for Ohio. There were 71,568 mortgages given last year, calling for $78,744,508, while only 51,338 were canceled, securing $59,355,028. In other words, the rich state of Ohio is covered by 20,000 more mortgages than a year ago, showing $20,000,000 more of debt than at that time. Notwithstanding this increase of debt, every sheriff in Ohio has been busy foreclosing mortgages and thousands of people have been dispossessed. If this is prosperity, let us have a little adversity or diversity for a change.—Toledo Union.

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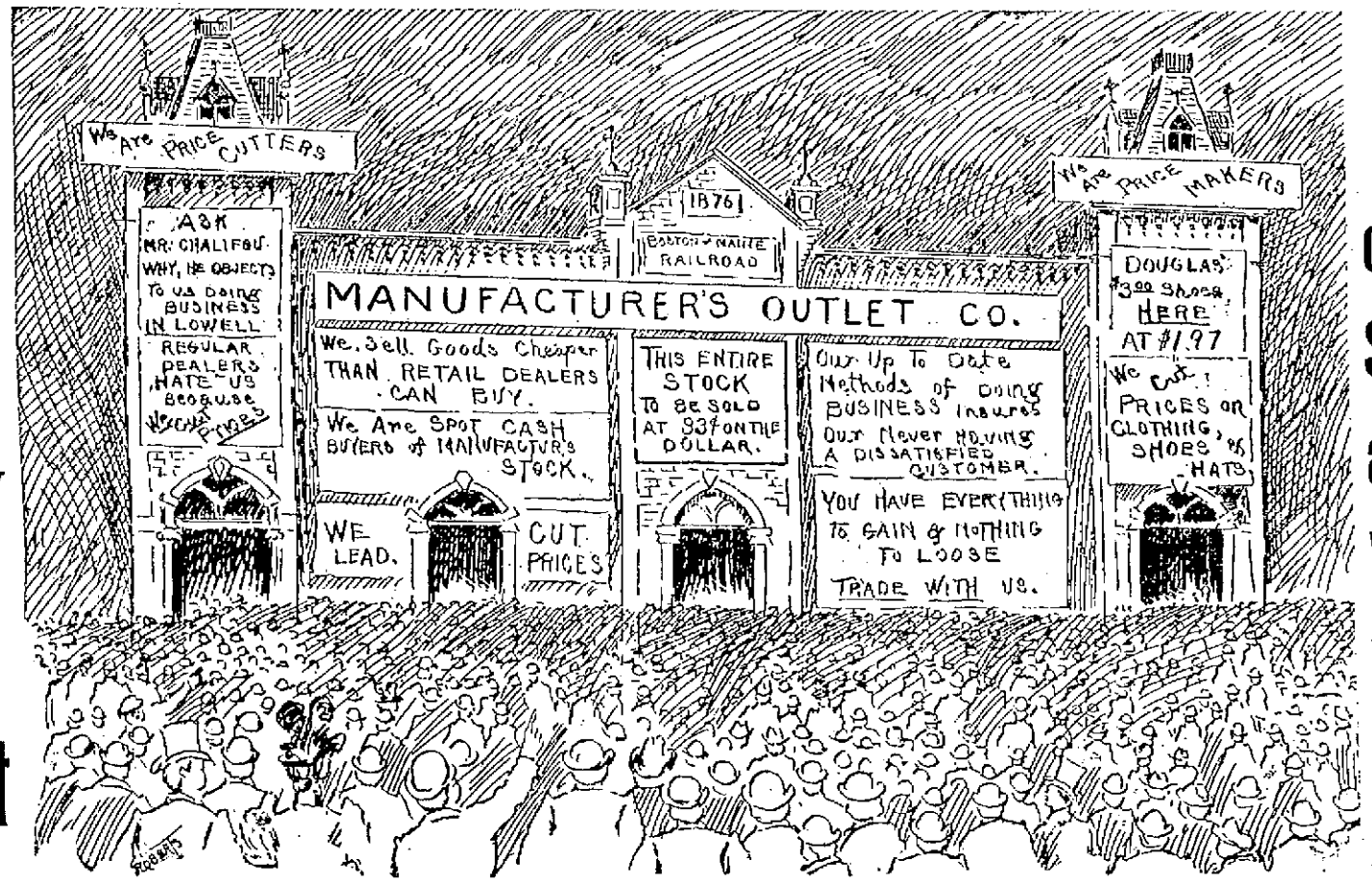

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"Foightin, misis! Me? Sure, how could 'Ol be foightin wid me husband dead this two years?"—Sketch.

HENRY AND THE SAW

THEY CAME TOGETHER TO SAVE A THIRSTY TRAMP.

The Weary Wayfarer Wanted Ten Cents but Henry Speny Knew the Money Would Go For Drinks—His Odd Ruse to Outwit the Tramp and Its Sequel.

Summer was here and the day was warm. Henry Speny had been walking and now stood at the corner of two streets mopping his brow. Henry Speny was a conservative, and although Mrs. Speny had that morning gone almost to the frontiers of a fist fight to make him change his underwear for the lighter and more gauzy apparel of jocund July Henry Speny had refused. He was now paying the piper, and was just thinking how much more Mrs. Speny knew than he did when the tramp came up.

"Podner," said the tramp in a low, guttural whine, intended to escape the ear of the police and touch Henry Speny's heart at one and the same time—"podner, couldn't you assist a poor man a little?"

"Assist a poor man to what?" asked Henry Speny, returning his handkerchief to his pocket and looking at the tramp.

He was a fat, healthy tramp, in good condition. Henry Speny hardened his heart.

"Dime," replied the tramp; "dime to get something to eat."

"No. Not on your life!" said Henry Speny shortly. "I'm a half dozen meals behind the game myself."

This last was only Henry Speny's humor. Mrs. Speny fed him twice a day, but Henry Speny knew that the tramp wanted the dime for whisky.

"Well, if you don't think I want it to chew on," said the tramp, "just take me to a bakery and buy me a loaf of bread. I'll git away with it right before you."

"Say," remarked Henry Speny in a tone of sarcastic irritation, "what's the use of your talking to me? There's a charity woodyard in this town where, if you were really hungry, you would go and saw wood for something to eat. You can get two meals and a bed for sawing one-sixteenth of a cord of wood."

"You can't saw wood with no such fin as this, podner," said the tramp. And pulling up his coat sleeve he displayed to Henry Speny an arm as withered as a dead tree. "The other's all right," he continued, restoring his coat sleeve, "but wot's one arm in a catch as catch can racket with a buckaw?"

Henry Speny was conscious stricken, but he would defeat the tramp in his efforts to buy whisky.

"I'll go down to the woodyard and saw your wood myself," said Henry Speny.

He told Mrs. Speny afterward that he could not account for the making of this offer unless it was his anxiety to keep the tramp sober. All the tramp wanted was 10 cents, and for Henry Speny to propose to saw one-sixteenth of a cord of hard wood on a hot day when a dime would have made all things even was a conundrum too deep for Henry Speny as he looked back over the transaction; but he did make the proposal, and the tramp accepted with a grin of gratitude.

There were 20 sticks in that one-sixteenth of a cord—hard, knotty sticks too. And each one had to be sawed three times—60 cuts in all. It was a poor buckaw. Before he had finished the third stick Henry Speny declared that it was the most beastly buckaw he ever handled in his life. The buck itself was a wretched buck and wouldn't stand still while Henry Speny sawed. It had a habit of tipping over, and when Henry Speny put his knee on the stick to steady the refractory buck the knots tore his trousers and made his leg black and blue. Then the perspiration got in his eyes and made them smart. When he wiped it away, he saw two of his friends looking at him in a shocked, sober way from across the street. They passed on and told everybody that Henry Speny was down at the charity woodyard sawing wood for his food. They said, too, that they had reason to believe he did this every day; that business had gone to pieces with him, and an assignment couldn't be staved off much longer. Henry Speny would have thrown up the job with the second stick, but the tramp was already half through with his meal. Henry Speny could see him belting his food like a glutton through the window from where he stood.

It took Henry Speny two hours to saw those 20 sticks 60 times. His hands were a fretwork of blisters. His back and shoulders ached like a galley slave's. Henry Speny hired a carriage to take him home. He couldn't stand the slam and jolt of a street car. He was laid up three days with the blisters on his hands, while Mrs. Speny rubbed his back and shoulders with arnica.

On the fourth day, as Henry Speny was limping painfully toward his office, he heard a voice he knew.

"Podner, can't you assist a poor m—Oh, beg pardon. You looked so diflerent I didn't know you."

It was the fat tramp with the withered arm. Without a word Henry Speny gave him 10 cents and hobbled on.—New York Journal.

Willing to Oblige Her.

"I want to know where you have been all this time," said Mrs. Lushforth as he wabbled into the house. "I want to know where you have been, and I will know right away."

"Orri," said Mr. Lushforth, jamming in his hat and starting more or less for the door.

"Where are you going now?"

"Goin out to find the boys, sozo I kin find out where I been."—Indianapolis Journal.

VERSE FROM A VAULT

NEW DEPARTURE BY THE EDITOR OF THE BILLVILLE BANNER.

Being Short of News He Prints a Few of the Epitaphs Scattered Around His New Sanctum—Many of Them Point a Moral For His Subscribers.

For ten years we have been endeavoring to purchase a lot whereon to erect a building for the Billville Banner, but until recently, when prosperity struck us and took up its abode in our midst, we were unable to do so. Yesterday the old cemetery was sold at auction, and we bid it in for $7. We are now moving The Banner into one of the most commodious vaults it contains, and we are as cheerful as we can be under the circumstances. We don't believe in ghosts. Many of the dead in the confines of our new purchase were ancient bill collectors, and they got so tired running after us that they were glad to rest, and we feel that they need all the rest they can get.

As news items were short this week, we contented ourselves with copying a few of the many epitaphs scattered around us. It's true they are now in the close with the dead matter, but we still think our readers will be interested in them. Most of our readers are deadheads anyhow, so they won't take this graveyard departure amiss. So here goes:

A BRIGHT FUTURE.

Beneath this plain pine board is lying
The body of Joshua Hight.
"Cheer up," the parson told him, dying;
"Your future's very bright."

Slowly the sick man raised his head,
His weeping friends amazing.
"Parson, it's most too bright," he said,
"For I can see it blazing!"

HE'S HAPPY NOW.

Samuel William Jenkins Stone
To glory went a-hummin.
He took hold of life's telephone
And hollered, "I'm a-comin!"

ON WILLIAM BLIMM.

Beneath this stone in sleep profound
Lies Major William Blimm.
He put five wives beneath the ground,
But the sixth one buried him.

She would not call him back again,
Being of strong endurance,
He left this weary world of pain
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He ran for office, but his wrath
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TROUBLE IN STORE FOR HIM.

Here Spottswood Jones is lying dead.
On earth he was a teacher.
"I'll meet three wives in heaven," he said.
"Lord help you!" said the preacher.

ON A FERTILIZER AGENT.

Six feet beneath
This funeral wreath
Is laid upon the shelf
One Jerry Jones,
Who dealt in bones,
And now he's bones himself.

ON HER FIRST HUSBAND.

Sleep, my husband, sleep away—
On another I may lean,
But I'll make him—every day—
Hoe your grave and keep it green.

A LIFE OFFICEHOLDER.

He's left this world of pain and strife
And reached the other side.
He held an office all his life,
Resigning when he died.

ON MR. ROBER.

Here, where the breeze the blossom shakes,
Lies Andrew Johnson Rober.
He saw the devil and great snakes.
Moral—Good folks, stay sober!

HIS LAST REQUEST.

Dying, he said, "Don't weep for me,
My darling wife—please don't."
She looked as smiling as could be
And said, "You bet I won't!"

ON A PARTY WHO WAS LYNCHED.

They lynched him on an old oak tree
That blossoms on the slope,
And then they made his family
Settle the bill for rope.

ON AN UNHAPPY SPOUSE.

Sleep, my dearest, in the dust.
Death gives to hope its birth.
You're happy now, is what we trust.
You never were on earth.

NOTE BY THE EDITOR.

The above are all we had time to copy for this issue. Many of them point a moral, for which we make no extra charge. All subscribers who die paid up may expect the same consideration at our hands. We'll publish their epitaphs cheerfully. Subscribe now and get in the paper when your time comes!—Atlanta Constitution.

How She Wanted to Sleep.

A 2-year-old girl who had been in the habit of sleeping in stockings to keep her feet warm was very much opposed to having them removed when warm weather came. She cried out, "I don't want to sleep in my toes!"—New York Sunday World.

Prosperity Eluded Him.

"I thought you said you saw prosperous times ahead."

"Well, I thought I did, but the heiress I had my eyes on wouldn't have me."—Chicago Post.

The Right Thing.

Longgreen—I want to fix my money so it won't be fought over.

Lawyer—That's all right. You just leave it to me.—Detroit Free Press.

So Fascinating.

He—What do you find so fascinating about surf bathing?

She—Oh, merely the habit!—Brooklyn Life.

Laudatory.

She praised my wife unto the skies
And lauded loud her beauty,
Her wealth of hair, her dazzling eyes
And her keen sense of duty,
And said that I should thankful be
For such a mate in life.
All this was no surprise to me,
For she—she was my wife!
—New York Journal.

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Sold on the Cunard, White Star, American, Allan, Anchor, Warren, French, German, and Italian steamship lines to or from Boston, New York, Liverpool, and Queenstown. Drafts issued for £1 and upwards on Ireland, England, Scotland, and all parts of the world. English sovereigns and Canada bills bought at Murphy's steamship agency, 18 Appleton st.

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We are giving away? Look in our window and you will be convinced that they are beautiful. One with a pound of tea while they last. Dickson Bros., the Big Tea Dealers, 68 Merrimack street.

LOCAL NEWS.

Pay your taxes now.

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Smokers enjoy Old Hundred cigars.

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Pay taxes promptly and save trouble and expense hereafter.

Elegant rubber-tired hacks at O'Donnell's, Jefferson street. Telephone 556-3.

Coal that will burn! You want some? W. E. Livingston, 15 Thorndike street, sells it.

Farrell & Conaton, plumbers, 243 Dutton street, have for sale a brown horse, 16 hands high, weight, 1100 lbs.

Burn Wilson's Coal.

Your coal bin now. Rourke & Sullivan will fill it with the best stock. 221 Central street.

BARN ON FIRE.

An alarm from box 236 early last evening called the fire department to the stable at Puffer and D streets, where a smart blaze was in progress. Two horses were taken out safely and the fire was confined to the box stall in which it started and to a small part of the hay loft. The barn was hired by a milkman named Sullivan, but the loss will not be heavy. C. H. Hanson of Pelham owns the property.

The alarm from box 39, Broadway, and Fletcher streets, at 12.40 yesterday was caused by a fire in the rooms of the Lowell Card company in Broadway. The damage was small.

THE SOUTH ENDS

DEPRECATE THE IDEA OF PLAYING OUT OF SEASON.

Lowell, October 11, 1897.

Editor Sun—The challenge of the Emeralds in your issue of the 8th inst., is noted. We would state that we have nothing to gain by playing them again, and they know that another game this year is out of the question, unless we play with snow balls, the season being practically ended several weeks ago. We would advise the Emeralds to keep their one hundred dollars if there is truth in such statement, until next season when we will most accommodatingly take it off them.

As to playing the game on its merits the Emeralds well know that the burden of doing so rests with themselves as was displayed by their ignominious quitting of a week ago Saturday.

Yours respectfully,

—South End B. B. C.

LOWELL POLICE

LOOKING FOR A MAN WANTED IN LAWRENCE.

The police of this city have been notified to be on the lookout for George Walker, who is wanted in Lawrence for larceny. The Lawrence story is as follows:

Francis Burns met Walker late Saturday night and soon they became fast friends. They made several "calls" and as a result it was very late when they decided to retire.

The men applied for lodgings at the Pacific House and were assigned a room for which they paid 60 cents. Burns gave the name of Frank Turner. Both were somewhat "tired" and soon were fast asleep.

Burns woke up in the morning and found his friend had fled. He looked about and soon discovered that his shoes were missing.

Further investigation showed that his overcoat and silver watch were also missing.

Burns reported the theft to the police and now Inspector Sheehan of Lawrence is looking after the man called Walker.

WORKINGMEN AND MECHANICS, THIS IS YOUR OPPORTUNITY.

For sale, cheap, on easy terms, located on D street, near the Shaw Stocking company, on high and dry land, with good sewerage, convenient to schools, churches, and two lines of street cars, piped for gas and water; five cottage houses and one two-tenement house. These houses have all modern improvements and are suitably arranged for families. Part of these houses have just been completed and the rest will be finished, ready for occupancy in a very short time.

Terms liberal. A small amount down and the balance can be paid in monthly instalments.

Anyone desiring to go through these houses and inquire terms and prices, call on J. W. Bennett, the owner, at 564 Middlesex street.

Interest on taxes will begin Oct. 20.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 81 Merk St.

MATRIMONIAL.

A very pretty wedding occurred at the Worthen street M. E. church last evening, when George L. Fowler, and Miss Mae Valentine were united in marriage, the details of the happy affair having been arranged on an elaborate plan. The groom is the eldest son of Supt. of Streets Fowler and is superintendent of the Wamesit Power company. The bride is the daughter of Captain and Mrs. Valentine. The decorations in the church were very beautiful.

At 7.30 o'clock the bridal party entered the church while the wedding march from Lohengrin was played on the organ by Mrs. Helen H. Taylor.

The bridal party was preceded by the ushers, Messrs. Fred Costello, Albert R. Archibald, Horace Paradis, Everett Allshaw, Lyman Proctor, Arthur Kelley, and Walter Chase. Next came the bridesmaids and maid of honor, Miss Carrie Fowler, oldest sister of the groom, Miss Kittie Waite, Miss Grace Aldrich, Miss Susie Gifford, and Miss Mae Tilton of Salem. The bride, leaning on the arm of her father came last.

The bride was handsomely gowned in white organdie over white silk with pearl ornaments. She wore the conventional veil and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The costumes of the bridesmaids were also very charming. Miss Fowler being dressed in white organdie over pink, Miss Waite in white organdie over violet, Miss Aldrich white over green, Miss Gifford, white organdie over yellow, while the maid of honor, Miss Tilton, wore white organdie over white and carried a large bouquet.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Gurnick.

After the ceremony the wedding march was resumed, and the bridal party left the church, escorted by the Mechanics Phalanx in full uniform. Mr. and Mrs. Fowler started immediately on their honeymoon and they will be at home in their new residence on Gibson street after January 1.

FORREST—BUCKLAND.

One of the most brilliant weddings that took place in the Highlands this season was that of Charles M. Forrest of the firm of Pratt & Forrest, lumber dealers, and Miss Ada E. Buckland, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Buckland of Westford street, which took place last evening in the Highland Congregational church. The interior of the church was prettily decorated with wild flowers by the bridesmaids. Mrs. J. B. Field presided at the organ and as the bridal party entered the church played the Lohengrin wedding music.

The ushers were Mr. Elmer E. Buckland, brother of the bride, Mr. William W. Duncan, Mr. Donald C. Campbell, Edward R. Durant, Arthur E. Hatch, all of Lowell, and Mr. Edward Quinlan of Boston. They preceded the bridal party, and Mis Maud T. Bowers, who acted as first bridesmaid, came next, followed by four other bridesmaids, Miss Helen W. Chadbourne, Miss Mabel Forrest, Miss Gertrude Forrest, sisters of the groom, and Miss Marion Perry.

The maid of honor, Miss Cora Buckland, came next, followed by the bride, who was attended by her father. The groom, attended by his best man, Mr. Frank Coburn, entered the church to the altar from the right aisle, meeting the bridal party at the center, where the bride was given away by her father. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Merriam and prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Greene. After the ceremony, a reception was held at the bride's home, 450 Westford street, at which the happy couple received the congratulations of many friends.

Among the many out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. William Gammell of Andover, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Harris and the Misses Harris of Malden, Mr. Frank Fellows, Mr. Frederick Fellows of Hyde Park, Mr. and Mrs. Dutton of Hillsboro Bridge, N. H., Miss Flora Forrest of Belmont, N. H., Mr. Charles Jackman, Miss Eva Day, and Miss Maud Forrest, all of Concord, N. H., and Miss Susanne Robbins of Boston.

The D. L. Page company catered for the occasion.

During the hours of reception, Hibbard's orchestra of five pieces rendered a concert program. Mr. and Mrs. Forrest received many costly wedding gifts. On their return, they will reside at 31 Bellevue street, where they will be at home on Tuesdays, Jan. 11th and 25th.

FULTON—PETTENGILL.

The marriage of Robert S. Fulton and Miss Leonora C. Pettengill took place last evening at the bride's home at 112 Humphrey street, Rev. Mr. Dick uniting the couple. The parlor was handsomely decorated with potted plants and flowers and the ceremony was performed under an arch of ferns.

The bridesmaid was Miss Lillian Hard and the maid of honor, Miss Vinnie Hamilton. The best man was Mr. A. B. Chamberlain. The bride and her attendants were most becomingly attired. The former wore taffeta silk with pearls and chiffon trimmings and carried roses. The bridesmaid wore white organdie over pink and carried pink carnations, and the maid of honor was gowned in yellow organdie, trimmed with white valenciennes lace. Miss Millie McDavitt played the wedding march.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton held a reception to their friends from 6 to 7, and later departed on their wedding tour. After November 1, they will be at home on Tuesdays at 27 Myrtle street. The Page company furnished a wedding collation.

KING—BUTTERWORTH.

Mr. Howard M. King of Boston, a civil engineer for the Boston & Albany railroad, and Miss Alice M. Butterworth, daughter of ex-Alderman S. D. Butterworth, were quietly married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride, 113 Moore street, Rev. Joseph A. Foster of St. Thomas' Episcopal church of Methuen, performing the ceremony.

The bride was gowned in white organdie over heavy duchess satin, and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. The ceremony was performed in the main parlor, which was a mass of flowers, foliage and palms. The wedding gifts were many and costly. After the ceremony, a reception was held until 6 o'clock, when the young couple left for a bridal tour. They will reside in West Newton.

The ushers were Messrs. A. A. Adams, Dover, N. H.; C. A. Holden and W. Russell, Boston; Samuel D. Butterworth, Jr., and A. E. Moors of Lowell. Hymer's orchestra of Boston played during the evening. Friends were present from New London and Middletown, Conn., Pascoag, R. I., Boston, Somerville, and Charlestown.

COON—FULLER.

The marriage of Mr. Orville Coon to Miss Helen A. Fuller occurred yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Harry P. Clough, 110 Bridge street.

The ceremony was performed at 2.30 o'clock by Rev. George H. Johnson in the parlor, which was very handsomely decorated. The best man was Mr. Orvis Coon of Concord, N. H., and the bridesmaid was Miss Grace G. Fuller of this city. The ushers were Messrs. Frank L. De Merritt and Albert De Merritt of Exeter, and Harry Osgood of this city. Miss May Briggs very ably presided at the piano and played the wedding marches.

Late in the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Coon left for parts unknown on their wedding tour and they will be at home after November 1, at 710 Bridge street.

First class printing done at this office.

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for all diseases that have their origin in impure blood. It is

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FIREMENS' CELEBRATION

WILL BE HELD AT LAWRENCE THIS WEEK.

Next Saturday will occur the annual parade and inspection of the city government of the Lawrence fire department. The line will be formed on Lowell street, right resting on Amesbury. The route of the parade will be Lowell to Lawrence, to Common, passing in review of the city government at city hall, to Appleton, to Essex, to Jackson, to Haverhill, to parade ground on common. There the department will be inspected by members of the city government. The line will be reformed and move over to Haverhill street, to Broadway, to Essex, to Appleton. At Appleton and Essex street an exhibition will be given by the department. The Lawrence brass band will furnish music.

Among Chief Beal's guests at the firemen's muster which is to be held here the latter part of the week, will be the following chiefs: Hosmer of Lowell, Hopkins of Somerville, Gordon of Haverhill, Arnold of Salem, Murrane of Fitchburg, Downing of Lynn and Casey of Cambridge.

OF LOCAL INTERETS

Some People We Know and We Will Profit by Hearing About Them.

This is a purely local event.
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Not in Buffalo or New York,
You are asked to investigate it.
Asked to believe a citizen's word.
To confirm a citizen's statement.
Any article that is endorsed,
That obtains resident advocates,
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Than a far-off foreign article.
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Mr. H. Doyle, motorman, residing at 1415 Middlesex street, says: "I suffered a great deal with my back and kidneys. When cold weather came, backache came and dizziness and headaches with it. I wore flannel bandages and tried the ordinary household remedies, but I grew no better and urinary trouble set in. I read what Doan's Kidney Pills were doing here in Lowell and I made up my mind I would try them. I got a box at Ellingwood & Co.'s, Merrimack and Central streets, and I give them the credit of my cure. I have not a sign of my old trouble and don't have any use for the flannel bandage. I have just got some for my wife, as I believe she needs them, and they are just the thing. Use my name if you wish. I am quite willing you should tell what they have done for me."

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We've done some Price Cutting for a little hurrah. Come and see us at once or you'll miss a treat.

Some Interesting Reading Here. Read It!

Dress Trimmings.

Look at Window Display. It's elaborate, but it only gives you a faint idea of our Immense Stock.

Read a few items as follows:

Fur Trimmings, a gigantic line, the prices begin at 10c a yard, running to $1.97 yard.

Braided Ornaments for Dress and Cloak Trimmings. Such a line was never seen in this city. Prices start at 49c a set and run to $2.08.

Braid Trimmings to match above sets, a profusion of designs and only 10c and upwards.

The Tubular, President and Military Braids, in Mohair and Silk and very popular. The prices commence at 4c a yd.

Colored Aplique Trimmings, in all the latest designs and colorings. We start the prices at 49c and run to $2.75, beautiful goods, an immense line.

Embroidered Chiffons, in Blacks, Black and White and the popular combination colorings. The prices start at $1.49 and run to $2.47.

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Always Headquarters for Handkerchiefs.

1 Lot Ladies' White Handkerchiefs, Lace Trimmed, 4c each.

1 Lot White Handkerchiefs, all linen, 5c each.

1 Lot Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs, 5c each.

We make a specialty of an Embroidered Handkerchief at 12 1-2c each.

KID GLOVES.

Did you see our Window Display? U OUGHT TO. WELL, READ:

50 dozen Foster Lacing Kid Gloves, in all new Shades and Black, 75c pair.

27 dozen, no more, 4-button Fancy Point. A soft elastic Glove, newest shades, 79c pair.

The New 2-Clasp Gloves, in Antelope, Dogskin and Kid at 98c. Also the popular Mocha Driving Gloves for the same price, 98c.

See our New Derby Gloves at $1.25. We Warrant and Fit Gloves.

Jersey Underwear.

We are making a display of Jersey and other makes of Underwear and the most conspicuous features will be the prices (Low Prices).

Ladies' Fleeced Jersey Vests and Pants, for a hum-hum-choice 19c, worth 30c.

Ladies' Fleeced Jersey Vests and Pants, White Egyptian, for 25c, Silk Trimmed.

Ladies' Fleeced Jersey Vests and Pants, full silk trimmings, a 50c Garment for 29c.

Ladies' Fleeced Jersey Vests and Pants, silk trimmed, a regular 75c Garment, for 49c.

Misses and Children's Fleeced Combination Jersey Suits, a 50c quality for 25 cents.

Children's Merino Underwear, al sizes, 12 1-2c each, and a host of other big bargains which we defy competition to duplicate at price.

Cotton Underwear.

To make room for our new line of knit fascinators, etc. we must close out some of our Surplus Stock of Cotton Underwear and we will do it.

Corset Covers 12 1-2c, 17c and 19c, worth double.

Drawers 19c, 25c and 39c, the best values in Drawers you ever saw.

Night Robes for 29c, 49c and 69c, such values in Night Robes are seldom, if ever seen.

Skirts 25c, 39c, 49c and 59c. Every Skirt worth twice as much. Now is the time to buy Cotton Underwear.

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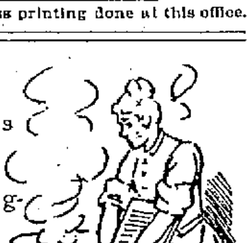
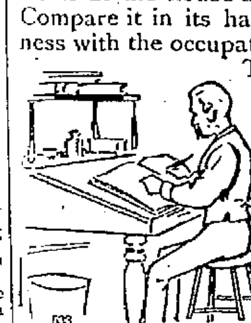


It isn't fair

the way the work of the human race is proportioned out and distributed. Look at the house-drudgery of women. Compare it in its hardness and wearingness with the occupations of most men! The only way out of it is to use Pearline.



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Pearline makes woman's work womanly and healthful and fit for her to do. All the washing, all the cleaning, and hundreds of other things besides, are made easy with Pearline.

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Our prices are not only the lowest in the city, but our terms of credit are so easy that every one can afford to dress well.

Nobby Fall Suits, $8.00, $10.00, $12.00 and up.
Nobby Fall Overcoats, $10.00, $12.00, $14.00 and up.
Children's Suits all prices.
Ladies' Collarettes, Capes, Jackets and Skirts.

EVERYTHING ON CREDIT.

Empire Credit Clothing Co.,

Over 97 Central Street. Open Evenings.

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CENTRAL STREET,

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Special Bargains

In our Black Silk Department for Three Days Only.

3 pieces 24 inch all silk extra heavy fine lustre Black Gros Grain Silk, worth $1.50 a yard, our price 89c. yard.

5 pieces 22 inch Black Satin Duchesse, extra heavy, all silk, worth $1.25 a yard, our price 79c. yard.

3 pieces 27 inch Black Taffeta Silk, elegant finish, worth $1.50 a yard, our price 89c. yard.

5 pieces 27 inch Black Satin Rhadames, extra heavy, very fine finish, worth $1.50 a yard, our price 79c. yard.

5 pieces All Silk Black Pongee, worth 50c. a yard, only 29c. yard.

4 pieces 20 inch Black Surah Silk, cheap at 62 1-2c., our price 39c. yard.

10 pieces 24 inch Black Brocade Silks, extra heavy, assorted patterns, regular $1.00 quality, only 69c.

2 pieces Black Stripe Satin, worth $1 a yard, to close only 50c. yard.

3 pieces Black Satin Rhadames, 20 inches wide, only 49c. a yard.

SPECIAL FOR TODAY—10 pieces 48-inch All-Wool Black Henriettas, extra heavy, fine finish, regular price 75c. Our price for this lot 49c. a yard.

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AT 29 CENTS EACH.

A vast quantity of Grey Mixed Shirts and Drawers, sizes 32 to 44. They are extra heavy weight, can be worn all through the winter season, thoroughly well made, contain no imperfection excepting that they are badly soiled and cannot be sold by any concern in the world in perfect condition a fraction less than 50 cents.

AT 39 CENTS EACH.

We Have 3 Lots.

LOT 1—Contains nearly 60 dozen Shirts (only) extra quality, grey mixed.
LOT 2—Contains a quantity of Jersey Shirts and Drawers.
LOT 3—Contains several dozens White Wool Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, and there is not a piece in these three lots that can be bought regularly less than 75c.

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Several hundred pieces of Red Wool Shirts and Drawers, such as you will have to pay $1.25 for if bought clean and perfect.

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THE WEATHER.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

The weather predictions for the ensuing twenty-four hours are as follows: Fair tonight and Thursday; cooler. Variable winds.

CARDERS AND WEAVERS

DANCE AT SPINNERS' HALL LAST EVENING.

The first dance of the Carders', Weavers', and Ring Spinners' union was held at Spinners' hall on Middle street last evening, and was attended by about 200 couples, the hall being filled to overflowing. Atwood's orchestra furnished music for dancing until 12 o'clock, and at intermission International Organizer Glenn of the Machinists' union delivered an address pertinent to labor matters and was loudly applauded.

The officers of the affair were as follows: General manager, James Nolan; floor director, James Collins; aids, Miss Clara Queenan, Miss Bella Harding, Thomas Boyle and John St. Onge; reception committee, Miss Cecelia O'Donnell, Miss Alice Kenyon, Miss Nora Madden and Miss Mary Mularky.

FUNERALS.

LYONS—The funeral of Wm. F. Lyons occurred this morning from his home, 64 Dummer street and was largely attended. Requiem mass was sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Fr. Burke. The bearers were Messrs. Dennis Pendergast, William Hunt, James Enright, James Scullian, Timothy Sweeney and Alexander Maguire. The interment in charge of J. F. O'Donnell, was in the Catholic cemetery.

SWIFT—The funeral of James H. Swift took place this morning from the home of his sister, Mrs. Richard Mower oan Central street. At the Immaculate Conception church, Rev. Fr. Reynolds, O.M.I., celebrated a requiem mass. The bearers were Messrs Andrew Gray, John McQuade, John Fallon, John Duff, Charles Joyce and David Cavanaugh. At the grave in the Catholic cemetery Rev. Fr. Joyce conducted service.

MULLIN—The funeral of Ann Mullin took place this morning from her home in Billerica. Service was held in St. Andrew's church and interment was in the Catholic cemetery in this city.

JONES—The funeral of Ann Jones occurred this afternoon from Undertaker Molloy's warerooms and was largely attended. At St. Peter's church service was held, Rev. Fr. McDonough officiating. The remains were interred in the Catholic cemetery.

It is said that Michael O'Brien is a sure winner in the councilmanic contest in Ward Two and that the younger element will be with him to a man. He will be a worthy successor to his brother, P. J. O'Brien, who is now giving his entire attention to business.

The New Fast Steamship **CANADA** 9000 tons, sails from Boston for Queenstown and Liverpool Saturday, September 11 and Thursday, October 14.

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THAT JUNKET DISCUSSED

At a Meeting of the Board of Aldermen Last Evening.

Alderman Peirce Insists on His Order—Alderman Cosgrove Scores the Courier — Mayor Courtney Lashes the Mail and States His Position.

At a very long session last night, the aldermen transacted considerable business.

Incidentally Alderman Peirce made an able speech on the present muddle in the water department, and said that in his opinion the city had made an awful blunder in its expenditure for its water supply.

The aldermen tried to get at Superintendent Bray, but the effort failed because of the sharp action of Alderman Peirce.

The following petitions were referred: James W. Boyle to accept a sidewalk in May street; Geo. W. Harris et al, for sidewalks in Pawtucket street; A. C. Russell for sidewalks in A street; J. S. Campos et al., for sidewalk in D street; Lowell Mfg. Co., for removal of tree; Francis J. McCarron, for removal of tree; Michael Haley, for removal of tree; Rev. Thomas J. Sayers, et al., for gas light at the corner of Gorham and London streets; Asa C. Russell et al., for street lights in Quebec street; O. M. Fournier et al., for electric light corner Austin and Merrimack streets; H. C. Greene et al., for street lights at Rose avenue and W. Forrest street; D. L. Hyson et al., for electric light at corner of School and C streets; Alfred Delisle et al., for street light in Sarah and Phoebe avenues; M. J. Grace et al., for sewer in Wilder street.

The following favorable reports from the street committee were ordered to lie in the city clerk's office seven days: Eugene Bailey et al, that lines of Campau street be defined; Frank K. Stearns for sidewalk on Lawrence street; Diantha Sweatt et al., for sidewalk in Davenport and Pine streets; Highland club, for sidewalk in Harvard street; Horace Clement et al., for sidewalk in Eighteenth street; Maurice O'Donnell et al., for sidewalks in Gates and Sheldon streets; J. W. Ellis et al., to raise grade of Varnum avenue.

The monthly report of the superintendent of streets was ordered on file.

Notices of claims of damages for personal injuries were received from Catherine Sheldon and Richard J. Sparks.

The petition of J. M. Farrell for a slaughter house license and of M. F. Coffey for revocation of the appointment of B. F. Gately as constable were laid on the table.

The following resolutions took their final passage: That the lines of Wood street be defined; that Burtt street be accepted and edgestones laid therein.

The joint resolution to borrow $750,000 for temporary loans was passed in concurrence.

The resignation of Dr. S. J. Johnson as a member of the charter commission was accepted.

The following petitions were referred in concurrence: Of Thos. Egan to accept sidewalk in Auburn street; F. W. Cheney et al., for sidewalk in Fourth avenue; Geo. H. Stevens, for sidewalk in Whitney avenue; Owen Donnelly et al., that Adams street be paved; Chas. B. Saunders et al., for fire alarm box in Princeton street.

There was no one present to speak in favor or against the petition of the U. S. Bunting company for permission to move a building. The petition was granted.

The petition of James T. Smith that all public works excepting public buildings be done according to specifications prepared by, and the work done under the direction of, the civil engineer was referred.

On motion of Alderman Goward, it was voted to ballot for a member of the charter commission to take the place of Dr. Johnson, resigned. Col. C. A. R. Dimon had 8 votes, Frank B. Dow had our vote, and Col. Dimon was declared elected.

William Marsden was discharged as a member of the fire department for misconduct.

An order was adopted authorizing the issuance of notices for the election of state and county officers.

An order was adopted authorizing the use of the Currier system in counting votes at the state election.

Alderman Lawrence said that the city council of 1896 had voted not to expend money to put a street to grade. The street committee this year had notified all petitioners that their requests would not be considered if it involved the expenditure of money. He did not believe in making fish of one and flesh of another, and therefore he moved to rescind the motion whereby the resolution for the defining of the lines of Wood street was passed. The motion passed.

The street committee reported a resolution to borrow $10,000 for the extension of Aiken street, or in other words, for the construction of a bridge over the Northern canal.

In explanation of the resolution, Alderman Peirce stated the conditions of the locality and referred to the location of railroad tracks near the present outlet of this district, and said that it was a dangerous place.

Alderman Lawrence claimed that the canal was used for navigation by the Locks & Canals company, and therefore the company was obliged to construct the bridge. The obligation was stronger, he thought, because before the canal was built, Austin street ran clear to Cheever street. The resolution was unanimously passed.

The committee appointed to confer with Smith Bros., relative to a settlement for the driven well plant, recommended the payment of $45,000. The accompanying resolution to borrow $41,000 to help pay the claim was read. Alderman Peirce moved to strike out $41,000 and insert $20,000. He explained his opposition to the original resolution. He said a contract was entered into by Smith Bros. and the water board by which they were to pay a certain amount of money to the former for pumping water. He contended that the contract was carried out as agreed to and he believed that it was a useless, uncalled-for expenditure of money. The contract calls for the pumping of 3,000,000 gallons of water at a cost of about $20,000. "We are willing to pay that, and I say we should," he said. "I believe that President Weaver of the water board has presented distorted facts to the press and has criticised the action of this board. His action is in line with his previous action which consisted in his presenting to the press an official statement to the city council two weeks before it was presented to us. I maintain that we should not buy that driven well plant for it is built on land that does not belong to us and if it is a permanent structure, it will revert to the owners of the land. I do not believe Smith Bros. can recover any more than what this original contract calls for."

Alderman Peirce made an admirable presentation of his case and had facts that were indisputable at his command.

Aldermen Tuttle and Derby opposed the amendment.

Alderman Cosgrove favored the amendment because, he said, Councilman Taylor, a member of the special committee that inquired into the matter told him that City Solicitor Qua had said that the Smith Bros. cannot recover the amount the committee had recommended.

The amendment was lost, and then, on motion of Alderman Hooper, the matter was referred to the city solicitor.

Alderman Eastman moved to ballot for a superintendent of public buildings.

Alderman Peirce moved to postpone the matter to the first meeting in December. It was so voted and Alderman Goward moved immediate reconsideration, which was granted.

Alderman Peirce moved that action on the matter be deferred to the second meeting in December. This motion was lost and the alderman gave notice of reconsideration.

Pole locations were granted the Lowell Electric Light company and the New England Tel. & Tel. company.

The pay of election officers was fixed at $10, with $1 as compensation for deputy officers. The list of election officers was ordered to lie on the table till the time for confirmation.

Alderman Peirce moved that the committee on wires report at the next meeting rules governing the locating of poles, so that abuttors will have notice of the intention to locate a pole.

Several resolutions for the removal of trees were passed.

LAKEVIEW JUNKET.

An order was passed requesting the opinion of the city solicitor as to the legality of paying the bill for the outing at Mountain Rock.

Alderman Goward raised a point of order that the order should have been a joint one, and he also claimed that the bills had not yet come to the attention of the committee of accounts, where they should first go and be passed upon by them. The mayor ruled the point not well taken.

Alderman Hooper said the board had no official notice of the bills referred to. He thought the bills should be passed to the committee on accounts.

Alderman Cosgrove desired to offer an explanation of the article that ap-

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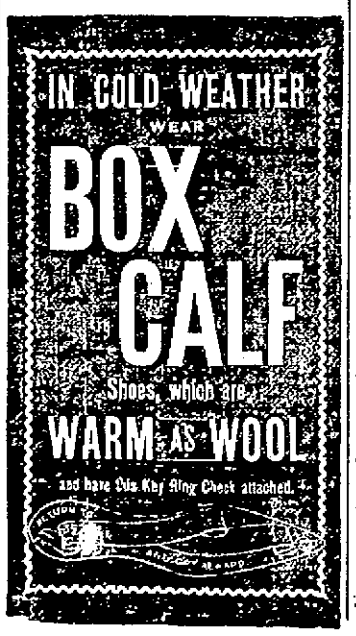

MACHINISTS MEET

And Listen to an Able Address.

BY ORGANIZER GLEN OF CHICAGO ILL.

He Urges the Craftsmen to Keep Organized.

About 75 members of the local branch the International Association of Machinists, despite the muggy weather, which made life in a hall decidedly uncomfortable, attended the meeting of the union in Labor Hall, on Middle street last evening and listened to a highly interesting and instructive discourse by Stephen B. Glenn of Chicago, grand organizer of the association in America.

Mr. Glenn is well known in the West as a writer on labor subjects and he is a pleasing, logical, and convincing speaker, showing a thorough knowledge of his subject.

Shortly after eight o'clock the meeting was called to order and the presiding officer, after briefly referring to the growing size of the union, introduced Lowell's old labor war-horse, Alexander Ray, who spoke briefly in favor of more perfect organization among the toilers of Lowell.

Mr. Stephen B. Glenn was introduced amid great applause. He said:

"Not long ago, I had occasion to read Patrick Henry's famous reference to the indulgence of man in the delusion of hope, and I believe that that is the trouble with men today. We have indulged too long in the delusions of hope. Now is the time to lay aside such dreams and get down to work. I don't mean to start your machinery but by considering the benefits on all sides that you can derive from organization. Let us consider our own trades. The average pay of the locomotive engineer is $3.50 per day. Why is it that when you create a locomotive, you build it at less than $1.75 per day, and the engineer steps in when you are done and gets $3.50? Why is it? Not because it requires more ability or apprenticeship to run it than to build it, but because the engineers are organized and the machinists are not."

'Since the international organization of machinists was started in May, 1895, it has gone through every state and territory in our grand republic and furthermore, has spread to Canada and Mexico, and has constitutions in English, French, German, and Scandinavian; and has 450 lodges and a total membership of 30,000. Best of all, it has given out in dividends to the machinists $3,000,000.

"Now let me tell of the foundation upon which this organization is built. Our platform has six planks which are as follows:

1.—To bring within the folds of organization every competent machinist who is actively engaged at the trade or connected with it, who has worked at the trade four years or more, and who is in receipt of the average rate of wages paid in the district or city in which he is employed.

2. To adopt, carry out, and put into operation an effective plan for keeping our members employed.

3. To endeavor to secure the establishment of a legal apprenticeship term of four (4) years.

4. To impress upon all employers the necessity of paying their employees the full current wages and giving preference of work to union men.

5. To settle all disputes between employer and employee by arbitration, when possible to do so.

6. To shorten the hours of labor to eight hours a day, thus giving our members more opportunities for self-improvement and social enjoyment.

"In our first section, we don't say: 'Take in the American and keep out any other nationality. We say 'Take in all competent machinists; we stand together, regardless of creed or nationality.

"In relation to our second clause, we wish to keep all men in employment. If one man in the union is out of work, every other member is an agent for the unemployed one, trying to get him employment.

"We have business offices in New York and other cities and if you wish work in any of these cities, just show your card at any of these offices and you will see how soon you will get a favorable reply.

The third plank shows an endeavor to secure an apprenticeship for four years, with one apprentice to every four machinists. Some may say we are standing in the way of young men. But consider, what is the use of a young man devoting the best five years of his life to a trade, which when he acquires it will bring him no more than two dollars a day. If some organization had prevented me from learning the trade, I would have considered it the greatest favor ever done me. Think of it, a man throwing away the four best years of his life to learn a trade and then getting less pay than a laborer. If we have less apprentices we will turn out more finished mechanics. At present with seven or eight apprentices to one machinist as instructor, what does the boy learn?

After describing the third and fourth planks of the platform, the speaker said our fifth has arbitration and one of our greatest safeguards. We settle 99 out of every 100 disputes by arbitration, because we have behind it the power of organization. We have the strike only for practition and use it only as a last resort. The non-union employers are the causes of strikes, while a thorough organization is the greatest preventive of strikes in existence.

Our obligations are not heavy; our benefits great. For 50 cents a month and a quarterly assessment of 25 cents, the member gets $6 per week while out of work for good cause and on strike, the monthly paper of the machinists with a $50 death benefit. Some branches pay a $5 per week sick benefit.

STEPHEN B. GLENN, Labor Organizer of Chicago, who addressed the Machinists' Union Last Night.

SUN EXTRA

5 O'CLOCK.

CAPTURE SCHOOL

Is the Plan of Social Democracy.

WILL EMPLOY TEACHERS WITH DEBS' IDEA.

Who Will Teach Children Social Democracy.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 13.—The Kansas contingent of the Social democracy promulgated by Debs has laid plans to capture the schools and colleges of the state. The plan is to employ teachers who are in sympathy with Debs' idea and organize clubs of social democracy among students, so that when they go out into the world, they will be fitted to inculcate the new doctrine.

BODY ARRIVES

REMAINS OF JERRY O'SULLIVAN ARRIVE IN LAWRENCE.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 13.—The body of Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan arrived here this morning. An immense crowd awaited it at the station, with uncovered heads as the coffin was taken to the carriage. Arrangements for the funeral are not complete yet, but it will be held at St. Patrick's church tomorrow morning.

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MISS CISNEROS

Arrived in New York From Havana Today.

SHE WAS VERY SICK ON THE TRIP.

She Wore no Hat, Cloak, or Wrap.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

New York, Oct. 13.—Miss Evangelina Cosslo Cisneros, who recently escaped from the Spanish prison, was a passenger on the Ward line steamer Seneca, which arrived this morning from Havana. She had been very seasick during the entire trip and could not talk. Her name was not on the passenger list. She left quarantine at 9.30 on a tug for the city. She was attired in a red crepon waist and skirt with black lace trimming at the throat. She wore no hat, wrap or cloak and had no baggage.

ON SOLAR PLEXUS

YOUNG MAN KILLED BY FITZSIMMONS' FAMOUS BLOW.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Lansing, Mich., Oct. 13.—The Fitzsimmons famous solar plexus blow was the cause of the death of John Carson, aged 16 years, yesterday. Carson drew a long breath and asked Frank Martin to strike him in the chest Martin struck a back handed blow over the heart and Carson dropped dead in his tracks.

KILLED IN A FIGHT

SOUTHERN BOXER DIES AS THE RESULT OF A KNOCKOUT.

By Associated Press to the Sun.

New Orleans, La., Oct. 13.—Cummings, one of the principals in last night's prize fight died at four o'clock this morning. Griffin, his opponent, who knocked him out, is under arrest.

SOLEMN REQUIEM MASS.

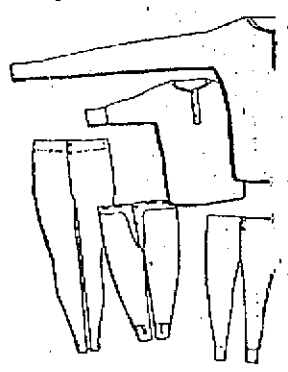
In observance of the recent death of Very Rev. Louis Soulier, O.M.I., superior-general of the congregation of the Oblates of Mary Immaculate, a solemn high mass was celebrated in the Immaculate Conception church at 9 o'clock yesterday. Rev. William D. Joyce, O.M.I., was celebrant, Rev. J. P. Reynolds, O.M.I., deacon, Rev. Fr. Lawrence, O.M.I., sub-deacon, and Rev. Fr. Gigault, O.M.I., master of ceremonies. Within the sanctuary were Rev. Frs. Tortel and Fox, O.M.I., The congregation was large and the service impressive.

POLICE COURT—HADLEY, J.

There were 10 drunks in trouble this morning and two of the ten were sent away, Thomas Murray receiving four months in the workhouse and Della Kennedy one year in Sherborn. Kate Flannery withdrew her appeal and took four months in the workhouse.

LOWELL WOMAN KILLED.

Word has reached this city of the death by a railroad accident in North Haven, Conn., October 6, of Mrs. Luke Shields, who was well known in this city, having formerly resided here. She was known in Lowell by the name of her first husband, Fortier, and was the mother of Mrs. Louis Clement, whose husband is employed in Mussey's steam laundry.



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LATEST

SHOT A BOY

CHINESE FIRES AT HIS JUVENILE TORMENTORS.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Lancaster, N. H., Oct. 13.—John Shang, a Chinese laundryman, was arrested this morning for assault with intent to kill on Bay Fogg at Groveton last night. Some boys threw stones at Shang's windows and he fired the revolver at them, the bullet grazing Fogg's temple.

B. & M. STOCKHOLDERS MEET.

By Associated Press to The Sun.

Lawrence, Mass., Oct. 13.—The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Boston & Maine railroad was held here this morning. The old board of directors was re-elected. The directors' report showed a prosperous condition. President Tuttle said prosperity had struck New England with full force and the present fiscal year will be the most prosperous in the history of the road.

DEATHS.

LINNEHAN—Daniel Linnehan, aged 61 years, died yesterday at his home, 116 Lawrence street. Funeral tomorrow morning from St. Peter's church.

DEMOCRATS REGISTER

THE LAST CHANCE BEFORE STATE ELECTION.

This is the last day for registration for state election. The republican registration, it is alleged, has been far greater than the democratic. This is bad news for the democratic candidates and the democratic party. There should be a big showing this afternoon and evening, as the registrars will be in session till a late hour.

There will be a meeting of the ward three friends of candidate Pearson at his office in the Hildreth building this evening.

Miss Agnes Sullivan has lately accepted the position as book-keeper for her brother, John J. Sullivan, the well known shoe dealer of East Merrimack street.

Mrs. John H. Joyce of 900 Gorham street has returned home after a two months stay at Stafford Springs, Conn.

John H. C. Goss of Grand street had several fingers on his left hand taken off by getting it caught in some machinery at the Wamesit Power company this morning.

Nervous Weak Tired, Thousands are in this condition.

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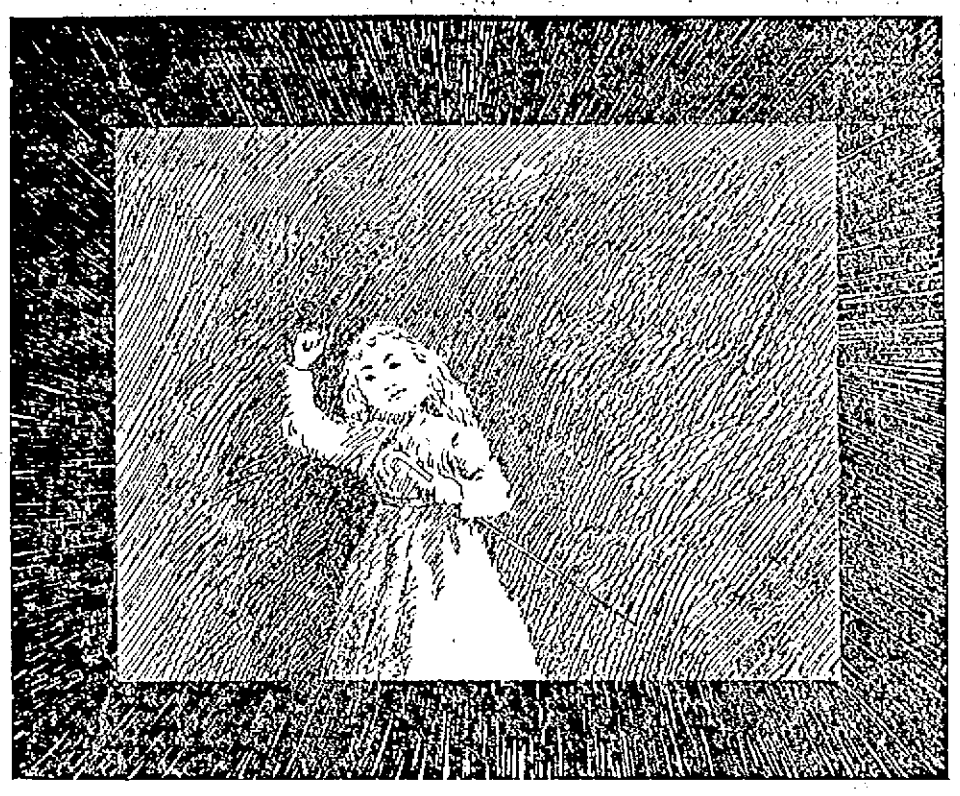
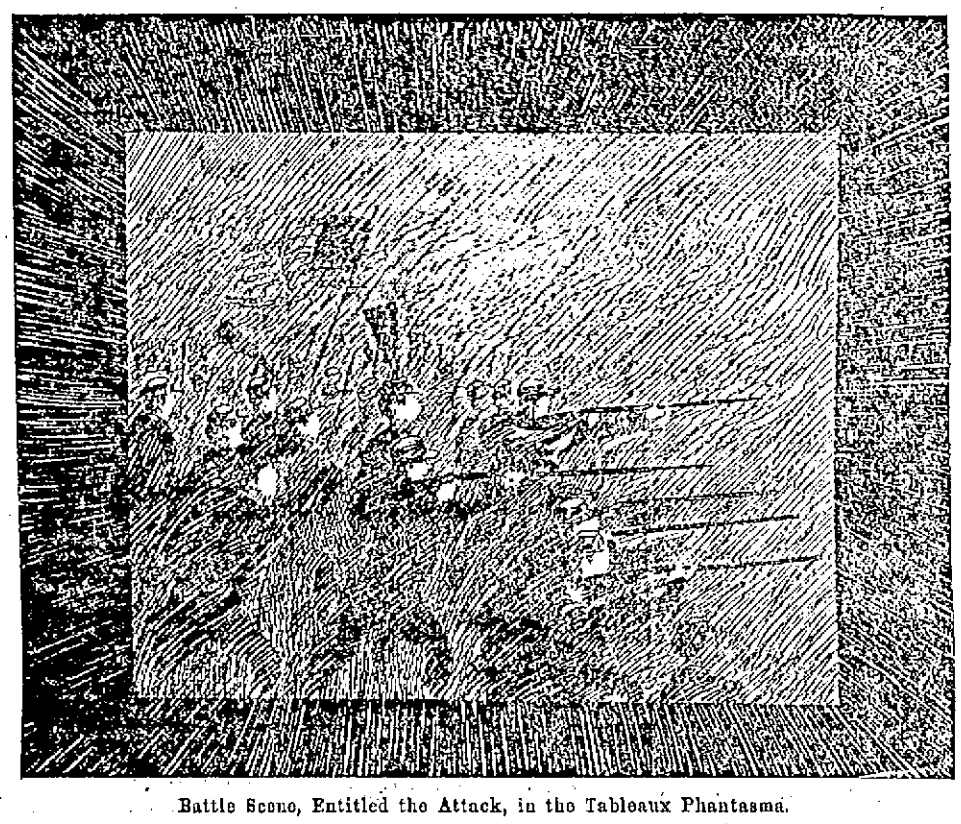
TABLEAUX PHANTASMA AT HUNTINGTON HALL, IN AID OF ST. JOHN'S HOSPITAL.



The Vestal Virgin Transformed Into Innocence.



Battle Scene, Entitled the Attack, in the Tableaux Phantasma.

The first of a series of four presentations of John W. Sherman's Tableaux Phantasma, was given last night at Huntington hall for the benefit of St. John's hospital, and was attended by a large audience. The entertainment presented was decidedly charming, the pictures presented being superb imitations of a variety of historic events, famous paintings, of allegorical representations which are easily interpreted without any explanation. The pictures were classical, domestic, mythological, and historic, and many young ladies residing in Lowell represented the characters.

The participants in the first part of the program were Mary Fox, Minnie Teague, Stella Ireson, Elizabeth Rafter, Corinne Emerson, Lizzie E. Kelley, Minnie F. Hill, Ella Kelley, Estelle Green, Glenna Husson, Florence M. Fish, Alice Mahoney, Sarah Sparks, Alice Kerr, Julia Rafter, Lizzie Jewett, Mollie Murphy, Belle Leighton, Susie Cooke, Annie McDougall, Mary McNeal, Louise McOsker, Bridget Smith, Mary Joyce, Grace Donovan, Angie Hurtubise, Jennie Dunham, Ellen Comnierford, Margaret Smith, Bridie McKeon, Lilla Cooke, Helen Joyce, Teresa and Margaret Corbett, Esther Owens, Sadie Golden and Nellie Murphy.

This was followed by Atwood's orchestra conducted by Arthur Mills, in a selection and the band played well and frequently between the numbers. Then came the pathetic illusion, "Under the Snow," with a song of the same title sung feelingly by Miss Mary Joyce. The scene showed a bereaved mother, represented by Alice Owens, the angel by Florence Fish, and the child by Angie Hurtubise. It introduced some effects that were remarkably realistic.

Grand military tableaux came next while James E. Donnelly sang with power and effect the favorite war songs, "Just Before the Battle," "The Vacant Chair," and "Tenting on the Old Camp Ground." The soldiers were members of the Ambulance corps commanded by Lieut. Dr. Bell. They appeared in the alarm, attack, death shot, bivouac and victory, and the scenes closed with Columbia, personated by Margaret Corbett, crowning the victor.

Beautiful Easter illusions were then displayed while Lilla Cooke sang "Rock of Ages." The poseurs were Bawita Serother, Lizzie Lawler, Mary Ryan, Mamie Gilligan, Margaret Cassidy, Florence Cooke, Lizzie Jewett, Anna Coughlin, Angie Hurtubise, Louise McOsker, Anna Cassidy, Grace Donovan and Estelle Green.

Classic tableaux were shown while Mrs. Charles M. Williams sang with great brilliancy Schubert's serenade. Nydia was Alice Mahoney; Little Red Riding Hood, Corinne Emerson; Goddess of Agriculture and Industries of State, Nellie Murphy, Teresa Corbett and Esther Owens; Elaine, Helen Joyce; dumb servitor, Richard J. McCluskey. Pictures representing well known paintings succeeded, and then came the special hit of the production, "Caring for the Sick," specially designed for St. John's hospital. The sick bed on which lay the convalescing invalid, Glenna Husson, was surrounded by Drs. Daly, Smart, Fox and McAdams, and Dr. Plunkett, with the hospital pupil nurses, Misses Copps, Grimes, Sullivan and Darcy. Mrs. Hurtubise was the visitor and Florence Cooke the guardian angel. Mr. Donnelly sang beautifully, "I Love to Hear My Savior's Voice," with organ accompaniment. It was a scene of the most touching character.

There were many other pictures, some being accompanied with appropriate music. Selections were rendered by Mrs. Charles M. Williams, James E. Donnelly and Atwood's orchestra. The entertainment will be given this afternoon and evening and tomorrow evening.

STATE HIGHWAY

WORK WILL PROBABLY BEGIN WITH NEW YEAR.

Plans are already beginning to materialize for the construction of a state highway between Lowell and Lawrence says the Lawrence Sun.

City Solicitor Qua, accompanied by a delegation of officials from the up-river city, came to Lawrence this morning to consult with Mayor Junkins in regard to having petitions forwarded to the state highway commission from both cities, asking that the matter be considered by that body as soon as possible.

The Lowell gentlemen also wished to learn the form of the petition which was sent to the commission when the highway from this city to Haverhill was built. The aldermen of this city will consider the matter at tonight's meeting and a petition will be drawn up asking that the matter be acted upon expeditiously. This, together with a like petition form the Lowell city government, will probably have the effect of having some action taken at once.

It is the hope of the Lowell people that the work will be started early next year.

SUPERIOR COURT—LILLEY, J.

In superior court the case of Constable O'Boyle vs. John Mack, representing the New York Life Insurance company, was put on trial yesterday morning. It seems that in February last, Bernard D. O'Connell, the well-known lawyer who has figured so prominently in the daily papers of late, took out an insurance policy of $10,000, through the defendant, Mack, representing the insurance company, and paid a premium of $238. The suit, however, is an action brought by Constable O'Boyle against Mack to recover 10 per cent. of the premium. He testified that he had influenced Mr. O'Connell to take out the policy and had been promised that percentage. Lawyer O'Connell testified that Mr. O'Boyle had been constable in his office, and had persuaded him to have his life insured. He had understood that Mr. O'Boyle would receive some compensation or he would have insured in another company. The defence is a general denial. W. H. Bent, Esq., appears for the plaintiff and James F. Owens for the defendant.

The second jury went to Tewksbury for a view in the cases of Mary A. Smith and Elizabeth Davis vs. Town of Tewksbury. The Hognns appear for the plaintiffs; Trull & Wier for the defendant.

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BELVA A. LOCKWOOD.

There is no word so powerful among women, no influence so great, and no authority so high as the utterances of a recognized leader when speaking to her sister women for the good of womankind.

When, therefore, the voice of Belva A. Lockwood, of Washington, D.C., who is recognized among women as their mightiest leader and champion in all women's movements which mark this generation, is raised in the interests of women; when this most eminent woman lawyer and lecturer in the world, representative of her sex to such an extent that she has been twice nominated for President of the United States by the Equal Rights Party, who has been honored by membership in more American and Foreign Societies than any other woman, publishes the fact to the world that she owes her present good health and strength to the use of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy, it comes as a positive proof, a revelation of the way to health to the thousands upon thousands of people who droop and languish under the burden of ill-health, over-taxed strength, nervous disorders and the weaknesses, pains and aches of female complaints.

It rings like a clarion note of hope and health for the weakened, worn out, discouraged women of our land, depressed alike in nerve power and bodily strength, who live on without strength, energy or ambition, but who will now know from the wonderful cure of Mrs. Belva A. Lockwood, through the use of Dr. Greene's Nervura, and from her enthusiastic praise of this grand remedy and urgent advice to women to seek its remarkable health-giving, invigorating and restoring powers, that good health, strong nerves, vigorous bodies always follow the use of Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy.

Mrs. Lockwood says:

"I have used Dr. Greene's Nervura blood and nerve remedy and am pleased to say that it has improved my digestion, relieved the sleeplessness under a great nervous strain, during which I believe that sleep would otherwise have been impossible, and seems in every way to have built up my general health. The attacks of faintness to which I had previously been subject have entirely disappeared. It increases the appetite, tends to cheerfulness and general good feeling, and leaves no ill effect.

"I can freely recommend it to all persons afflicted with nervous disorders, or that tired feeling which is so common. I recommend it also to nervous people, aged people and to all persons in delicate health."

BELVA A. LOCKWOOD, A.M. & B.L.,
Secretary American Peace Bureau."

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OUR ART SCHOOL

Sketch of the Evening Drawing Schools.

THEIR HISTORY DURING 25 YEARS OF WORK.

About to Open for Another Season's Labor.

Probably very few people in Lowell are aware that the Free Evening Drawing school held its first session in the year 1872, and as this year marks its twenty-fifth anniversary, it seems appropriate to give the public a short sketch of the different departments of the school that they may judge of its efficiency and its value to the many pupils who have availed themselves of its privileges. In 1870 the legislature passed a law requiring cities of more than 10,000 inhabitants to make provision for drawing to be taught in the public schools and to provide free instruction in industrial or mechanical drawing to persons over fifteen years of age.

In accordance with this law the Free Evening Drawing school was opened in March, 1872, when Mr. Bertram Harrison was in charge of the free hand department and Prof. Channing Whitaker of the classes in instrumental drawing, as they were then called, when one lesson was devoted to machine drawing, and the next one to architectural drawing. At this time, Prof. Whitaker was assisted by Mr. Almavin Trowbridge, Jr., a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. The free hand class was held in the old Green school house on Middle street the instrumental classes in the new Green school house. This was a short term, but the sessions were resumed the next fall and winter.

There was some opposition from the conservatives to this new enterprise, but the city was peculiarly fortunate at that time in having the late Hon. John A. Goodwin chairman of the committee on penmanship and drawing, "and his far-reaching foresight discerned the vast benefits to be reaped in the future by our mechanics and manufacturers from the development of his new departure."

The other members of the committee were Mr. C. K. Russell, Mr. Joshua Merrill, Mr. John F. Fryo, Mr. Henry P. Perkins, all of whom were very energetic in establishing the school. Much space was given to the Lowell school in the report of the State Exhibition in Boston by the State Board of Education. We quote the following from that report:

"We thought it necessary to express our high appreciation of the thoroughness of the instrumental courses by awarding the recognition of 'Excellent,' to both architectural and mechanical sections and 'Honorable Mention' to the free hand section."

In 1873, Mr. Wm. R. Ware of Cambridge then assistant instructor of architecture at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, afterward editor of the American Architect, was Prof. Whitaker's assistant in charge of the architectural class.

Later this position was filled by Mr. Frank M. Howe, the chief draughtsman in the office of Ware & Van Brunt, architects of Boston, and now a member of the firm of Van Brunt & Howe of Kansas City.

Mr. Howe was the designer of the electrical building at the World's Fair in Chicago in 1893.

That year Mr. Harrison was assisted by Miss Helen M. Wright and Miss Isabella Coburn.

In 1874 Prof. Whitaker took charge of all the departments.

During that year we find by the records that a series of lectures were given by Prof. Ware of Boston, instructure of architecture at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology on charcoal drawing. Mr. Walter Smith, state director of art education, of Boston, also lectured and Prof. Whitaker on machine drawing.

There was an arrangement made that winter with the Middlesex Mechanes' association by which the pupils of this school could attend free a course of scientific lectures given in Huntington hall under their auspices.

There was a class in shades and shadows formed that year which met in the afternoon when Mr. Albert H. Guild of Boston who was a pupil of Mr. Rouse, a famous portrait artist, was the first instructor.

Mr. Letang of Boston, assistant professor of architecture in the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, also a graduate of the School of Fine Arts in Paris, taught a class in crayon shading, which was especially for teachers. Among the names recorded as pupils, we find Mr. Bertram Harrison, Professor and Mrs. Whitaker, Miss Helen W. Wright, Miss Helen A. Whittier, Miss Hulda J. Leavitt, Miss Martha A. Paul, Mr. Willard M. Foster, all of whom, except Mrs. Whitaker, were afterward connected with the school as teachers.

In 1875 a class in Practical Design was organized when Prof. Whitaker was assisted by Miss Helen W. Wright and Miss Helen A. Whittier. Miss Hulda J. Leavitt assisted in the crayon class, Miss M. Leslie Allen in preparing diagrams for pupils work in architectural and machine classes, Mr. Kirkley Hyde in the machine class and Mr. Howe in the architectural.

That year, Mr. Lord, then principal of the Lowell High school, delivered a lecture on "Pure and Impure Color." The decorating of China was introduced which met with much favor.

Mr. Bartlett, chief assistant at the Boston Normal Art school, gave a lecture on "Designs for Teacups." Miss Frederick and Miss Simons, assistants to Prof. Kastner at the Lowell school of Design in Boston were present at two sessions of the practical design class to introduce the use of color in designs for prints, etc.

During this and the following year many designs and decorated tea cups also specimens of machine and architectural drawings were sent to the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia for which the school received a bronze medal and diploma. The latter is framed and hangs in the drawing school building, formerly the Mann school, on Broadway.

Besides this recognition of merit the school was awarded a silver medal from the State Agricultural Fair in Manchester, N. H., also a silver medal from the Mechanics' Charitable association in Boston.

In 1876 Prof. Whitaker resigned when Mr. Kirkley Hyde assumed the charge of the class in machine drawing, who continued to keep up its high standard. Miss Helen W. Wright became the principal of the free hand and practical design classes, which position she still retains, her departments showing very marked progress under her direction, aided by her competent assistants.

In 1879 Mr. Frederick W. Stickney was chosen principal of the architectural class on the resignation of Mr. Howe; with his thorough knowledge and artistic taste, aided by his corps of valuable assistants, this department has been very successful. He resigned in 1893, when Mr. Henry M. Southworth was chosen to succeed him, who now holds the position.

In 1879 a new department of art modeling in clay was introduced with Mr. Pierre Miliais of Boston, a noted sculptor, for teacher; the next year Mrs. Ellen D. Carney was elected to take charge of this department, and under her trained and skilful instruction with able assistants, much progress and interest were shown and this is now a very valuable department of the school. Mrs. Carney resigned in 1895 when Miss Abbie F. Davis assumed the position.

In 1883 Mr. Kirkley Hyde resigned the charge of the class in machine drawing when Mr. Samuel G. Stephens who had been an assistant since the opening of the school, also an instructor at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, was elected to fill the vacancy. Under his practical as well as technical instruction this class has always maintained its high standard of excellence, its aim being to give thorough instruction in machine drawing, the students using actual parts of machinery for models from which to make their drawings.

For many years the sessions of the school were held in the Green school hall until the accommodations were inadequate, then the machine and the architectural classes were moved to the Worthen street schoolhouse, but in 1888 all the classes were located in the present building on Broadway.

In all these years the school has made great advancement, keeping up with the demands of the times, and is now one of, if not the best equipped, free evening drawing schools in the state. It has all the modern models, casts, etc., for the use of the pupils, is well lighted with gas and electricity, and has every convenience for free instruction in its several departments.

This success is due in a great measure to the interest and sympathy of the committee on penmanship and drawing, their hearty co-operation in all measures for promoting its progress and usefulness.

It will perhaps be of interest to know that the following named gentlemen have served as chairmen of that committee: Hon. John A. Goodwin, Dr. William G. Ward, Hon. Charles H. Allen, Dr. Leonard Huntress, Jr., Mr. Michael Sexton, Dr. Stephen J. Johnson, Judge John J. Pickman, Rev. Ransom A. Greene, Mr. Fred Woodies, Dr. George F. Thomas, the latter still in office.

For many years there was an annual exhibition of the work of the schools held in Huntington hall, where the drawings of the day schools as well as of the evening schools were exhibited, when large numbers of our citizens visited them and great interest was shown, much praise expressed.

The exhibitions the last years have been held in the drawing school building.

Many pupils who here took their first lessons in industrial art and went to other schools for technical and further instruction, are now filling important and lucrative positions as draughtsmen, architects, designers, teachers of drawing, modeling in clay, and many other branches of art; all these facts go to prove the great usefulness and practicability of this school. Here the latent talent of pupils has been awakened and then the aim has been to direct and develop that talent in the line which would be the most useful to them in their future business life.

Since 1885 diplomas have been given in each department to those pupils who have finished the required course of work. The number of pupils is much larger than in the earlier years and the interest is constantly increasing under its able management.

The present teachers are: Machine class, Mr. Samuel G. Stephens, principal; Mr. Willard M. Foster, Mr. Fred W. Farnham, Mr. T. Burt Stephenson, assistants; Mr. H. S. Cryster, substitute. Architectural class: Mr. Henry M. Southworth, principal; Mr. Samuel D. Butterworth, Mr. George W. Mansur, Mr. Harry P. Graves, assistants; Mr. Henry Hourke, substitute. Free hand class: Miss Helen M. Wright, principal; Miss Martha A. Paul, Miss Ella C. Green, Mrs. M. E. Cushing, Miss Ida M. Wright, assistants. Practical design class: Miss Helen M. Wright, principal; Mrs. M. E. Cushing, assistant. Modeling in clay, Miss Abbie F. Davis, principal; Miss E. Elizabeth Whitney, Miss Kate Burrage, Miss M. A. Hardy, assistants. Miss Paul, Miss Green, Mr. Foster and Mr. Farnham have been connected with the school as pupils and teachers since the opening year.

The term this year will begin Monday evening, October 18. Registration will be made Monday and Thursday evenings, October 11 and 14, for machine and architectural classes; Tuesday and Friday evenings, October 12 and 15, for free hand, practical design, and modeling classes, in the drawing school building on Broadway.

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DARING HOLD UP OF TRAIN

In Broad Daylight by Four Bandits of Masked Men.

The Express Safe Was Too Strong for Them — They Only Got $200.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 13.—Tuesday afternoon, in broad daylight and within 12 miles of the corporate limits of the city, the south-bound cannon ball on the International and Great Northern railroad, consisting of mail, baggage and express cars and three coaches loaded with passengers, was held up by four men and robbed. The conductor of the train, Tom Healy, was shot by the robbers while resisting them, but fortunately was not seriously wounded. One of the passengers had his shirt collar carried away by a pistol ball that was aimed at his neck, and another a bullet wound in the hand. The passengers were robbed of some $200 in money. The bandits attempted to rifle the safe in the express car, but were unsuccessful.

When the train reached McNeil, a small station 14 miles above this city, two men, heavily armed, took their stand on the rear platform. After the conductor had checked up the train he reached the platform, only to find a pistol at each side of his head. The men demanded that he stop the train. He declined to do so and began to run through the train with the robbers in close pursuit. He had not gone half the length of the first car when the foremost robber shot at him, bringing him to the floor with a pistol wound in the right arm. At this juncture the other robber pulled the bellcord, and the train was brought to a standstill.

It was evidently at the appointed place, for the train had hardly stopped before two other men, whose faces were covered with masks, stepped out from among the trees and began shooting into the cars. Instantly all was confusion. The two men on the train were immediately joined by those from the woods and began their work. As the colored train porter sprang from the rear coach and ran for shelter, a robber began to shoot at him, and the negro emptied a revolver in turn without effect. The express messenger looked out of his car and, taking in the situation, left the car and was soon lost to sight. The robbers, leaving two men to guard the three coaches, proceeded to the express car and demanded that the baggageman open the express safe, but upon being assured that he could not do so they turned their attention to the passengers. They took only money from them, not overlooking a single cent and walking two by two through the cars so as to always keep their eyes on the passengers.

Having secured about $200 in this manner, they uncoupled the engine from the train and started it off down the track. After going several miles they set the lever at a moderate gait and left the engine. The engine came into the flag station at Duval and was there captured, the station agent returning with it to the scene of the robbery. The train was then brought to this city. Officers have gone to the scene with bloodhounds to search for the robbers.

A HAVERHILL MAN

Takes the Place of J. L. Chalifoux.

ON THE DEMOCRATIC TICKET FOR AUDITOR.

Ex-Mayor Sheldon Will Fill the Bill.

Boston, Oct. 13.—The Democratic executive committee held a meeting at headquarters yesterday and chose ex-Mayor Joseph H. Sheldon of Haverhill to fill the vacancy on the state ticket caused by the declination of J. L. Chalifoux of Lowell to stand as the candidate for auditor. Resolutions were unanimously adopted on the death of Jeremiah T. O'Sullivan of Lawrence, a member of that body, at his decease.

SEVENTH DISTRICT

NOMINATES EDWARD D. McVEY FOR SENATOR.

The seventh district democratic senatorial convention was held in Huntington hall last night. Edward J. McVey, Esq., was unanimously nominated for senator and Joseph Clark was elected a member of the state central committee. The following delegates to the district convention were appointed: John G. Gordon, Jas. F. Owens, Harry Doherty and John H. Dolan.

THE WILLIAMS RALLY

ARRANGEMENTS MADE FOR FRIDAY NIGHT'S MEETING.

The executive committee of the democratic city committee met last night and voted to invite John H. Harrington of The Sun to preside at the democratic rally in Huntington Hall Friday night. The speakers will be Hon. George Fred Williams and Pierre Humbert, Jr.

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THAT JUNKET DISCUSSED.

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peared in yesterday's Courier, which he claimed, is thoroughly unjust to him. He said: "The article says that I was the only aldermanic member of that committee. Nobody knows better than the thoroughly irresponsible, top-heavy tyro who wrote the article that there was more than one alderman on that committee. I am not surprised that a man of his calibre should write that article. He is small physically and he is small mentally. I can see why he should write it, but I cannot understand why a paper will publish such stuff." The alderman was very earnest in his remarks and opened up a discussion that reached a dramatic climax.

Alderman Peirce rose to offer an explanation and opened a charge on the Mail. "That paper in an editorial says that the order asking for an opinion from the city solicitor as to the legality of that bill, was put in by me to shield somebody. For once the editor of the Mail has made a true statement. It was true that I desired to shield somebody and now that I have been found out, I will confess it. I was trying to shield the city treasury and the city treasurer. I say there is some question as to the legality of that bill. I don't care if a man went out there and had liquor or a glass of beer. That makes no difference to me. But I contend as a member of this government that we should consult our city solicitor, unbiased and free, and not dominated by the republican city committee. Mr. Qua is capable of giving a good legal opinion. I see no reason why the order should not pass.

Now for the finale. Mayor Courtney addressing the board denounced the Mail in strong terms. He said: "Inasmuch as reference has been made to statements in the newspapers and particularly to those in the Morning Mail, I desire to say that the Mail with its usual disregard for truth and its usual desire to misrepresent the present Mayor, this morning stated that a member of the city government said that the Mayor and Alderman Cosgrove directed the arrangments of the outing.

"I don't believe that any member of the government ever made such a statement. I believe it was a deliberate lie on the part of the one who wrote it, for every member of the city government knew that an order originated in the Comonn Council, inviting the city government of Lawrence to visit our city and provided for the pointment of three members of the Council and two members of the Board of Aldermen.

When the order came from the Council it bore the names of the three members named by the president of the Council. After the Board had adopted the order in concurrence I named two members of the Board to be joined by the three councilmen, as was required by the order.

"I was not a member of the committee, did not attend any meeting of the committee; was not consulted by the committee and knew nothing of what they were doing until I went to the outing to receive the members of the Lawrence city government who had recently entertained us so hospitably on the occasion of our visit to their city on their invitations. I went there to show my respect for our guests and had I not done so, I could properly be accused of discourtesy to the invited guests of the city.

"Every member of the government knew these facts and I feel sure that none of them made the statement contained in the Mail. The story was either a deliberate lie on the part of a reporter or else was made up in the editorial rooms of the Mail, which is very likely, for the Mail is not above such low, mean, contemptible business."

The gift of the portrait of James B. Francis from the Locks & Canals was accepted and a vote of thanks adopted. The Board adjourned at 11.45.

The friends of Frank McMahon, the councilmanic candidate from ward two held a meeting last night and made plans for work that they intend will secure his nomination. Mr. McMahon has a host of friends in the ward and the prospects are bright for his nomination.

A GRAND OVATION

At New Bedford to Governor Wolcott.

THE JUBILEE OBSERVANCE A GRAND AFFAIR.

The Veteran Firemen Had a Pumping Contest.

New Bedford, Mass., Oct. 13.—Yesterday's festivities were brought to a close with a largely attended banquet at the Parker House. Governor Wolcott, Senator Lodge and the army and navy officers were the guests of honor.

Attorney General Knowlton, toastmaster, in his opening address, spoke briefly of the earlier history of New Bedford. The speakers were: Governor Wolcott, Senator Lodge, Captain Charles J. Barclay, Captain William P. Vose, Brigadier General Matthews, Major Greene of Fall River and George F. Tucker.

The highest throws in the firemen's playout were as follows: Geyser, East Providence, 161 feet, 6 inches; Teckesnoaw, Woonsocket, 157 feet, 11 3-4 inches; New Bedford, New Bedford, 154 feet, 2 inches; Fire King, Pawtuxet, R. I., 154 feet, 1 inch.

HIS VIEW OBSTRUCTED.

Brockton, Mass., Oct. 13.—Edward F. Gorman, a motorman on the Brockton street railway, was struck by the 4:30 train for Boston on the New York, New Haven and Hartford road yesterday afternoon and instantly killed. He had stepped on the track in front of the train, which he did not see in time to avoid owing to a number of freight cars on a side track obstructing the view. Gorman's head was crushed and the trunk was badly cut up. He was 22 years old and unmarried.

POLICE BOARD

BUSINESS TRANSACTED AT LAST NIGHT'S MEETING.

At a meeting of the Board of Police, Tuesday night, the following parties were given leave to withdraw:

Pool and billiards—Antonio Sakalowski, 124 Gorham street; Antonio G. Farinha, 369 Central street; second-hand clothing, Maurice Laffan, 465 Market street.

James Dolan's junk license was revoked.

W. H. Boody was granted a license to give a Sunday evening concert in Music Hall, October 17.

A license to sell second-hand shoes was granted Harris Cohen, 270 Middlesex street.

Thomas M. Ready and Elijah M. Nichols were appointed special police officers for the Locks & Canals company.

Licenses as common victuallers were granted Anna Bonvike, Coolidge and Cheever streets; Joseph Bellemare, 446 Merrimack street; Leroy Lenfest, 46 Schaefer street.

Edward E. Gordon & Co. were licensed as pawnbrokers.

John F. Sparks was promoted from the permanent reserve to the regular police force. Jeremiah Lynch was appointed to the probationary force.

PHILHARMONIC CLUB.

The adjourned annual meeting of the Philharmonic club was held in the Middlesex Women's club rooms last night. Reports were read showing the good work and excellent standing of the club and officers for the standing year were elected as follows:

President, Larkin T. Trull; vice president, Edwin K. Baldwin; treasurer, Frank R. Haggett; secretary, Charles W. Eaton; librarian, T. R. Hall; directors, Fred J. Flemings, Cyrus W. Russell, J. Arthur Gage, Harry P. Knapp, John W. McEvoy, George H. Taylor.

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THE ARGONAUT TESTED.

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The lake submarine wrecking boat Argonaut, with six persons aboard, went to the bottom of the Columbian Iron works drydock in Baltimore recently, and with a clear five feet of water above her she remained two hours. Those who went down with Simon Lake, the inventor, were Edward L. Peacock, John Maimes, Alexander Cochran, S. T. Champion and Mr. Wilson, a diver.

At first the Argonaut was allowed to sink gradually, but when about ten inches above the surface she made a lunge downward. From the exhaust for the gas engine used in the boat a rubber hose led to the surface, and through another hose attendants in a rowboat conversed with those inside the submarine vessel.

The electric lights generated by the gas engine gave plenty of light, and the quantity of compressed air was said to be sufficient for the number in the boat to have subsisted until this morning. Half an hour before the boat ascended to the surface the air inside was so fresh and pure that cigars were smoked after a luncheon had been served. No attempt was made to send a diver from the boat. On dropping the heavy keel from the vessel she bounded to the surface like a rocket.—New York Sun.

Runaway Electric Cabs.

The London police are now wrestling with a question which involves the new electric cab service recently established in that city. Several accidents have occurred where the man in charge of the electric cab has been drunk and has allowed the cab to run amuck. The police say that they will guarantee to stop runaway horses attached to cabs, but they are unused to the peculiar actions of electric current and do not know just how to go about stopping a runaway electric cab. They hope to solve the question, however, by refusing to grant a license to a motor cab driver unless his employer will furnish a guarantee that he is a strictly temperate man.—Electrical Review.

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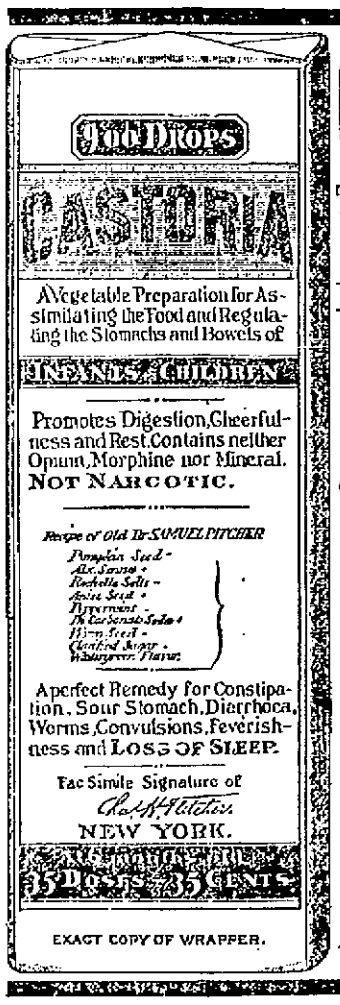

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England is imitating American goods and exporting them to China. It seems that England has copied some of our American tricks in the manufacturing business.

Miss Goelet and Miss Astor, two prominent heiresses, are now in the market searching for titles. They remind us forcibly of Senator Morgan's remark in congress about "fatted heifers ready for market."

It is now conceded—that Guldensuppe's head was thrown overboard in New York harbor, and the man who did the deed, it is alleged, is willing to testify to that effect. If this be so, there will be sufficient evidence to convict the perpetrators of one of the most brutal murders in the criminal annals of this country.

Rev. Peter Ronan of Dorchester, brother of Rev. Fr. Ronan of this city, has just finished the celebration of his 25th anniversary as pastor of St. Mary's church. It is also the 25th anniversary of the founding of the church, because Rev. Fr. Ronan started his large parish 25 years ago in a little assembly hall, but now has one of the finest churches in Boston in the Dorchester district. He is also beloved by his people, just as is Rev. Fr. Ronan of this city.

The imposing parade of last Saturday was a fair illustration of how good work may be perpetuated. It was in 1849 when Fr. Mathew visited Boston and Lowell and sowed the seeds of total abstinence, which are apparent throught the archdiocesan union of Boston at the present time. This is a contradiction of Shakespeare's epigram that would lead one to believe that the good that men do is usually interred with their bones.

Richard Croker was the subject of an able article in the New York World quite recently by Editor Stead. This distinguished writer described Mr. Croker's rise to greatness without education or the opportunities which usually lead upward. If the democratic candidate for mayor of Greater New York be defeated at the next election, Editor Stead may drop around and write up the fall of Boss Croker. It appears that the time is at hand when the boss in New York politics will take a back seat. It may be Croker's turn next.

The work of the New York Journal, in liberating Evangelina Cisneros, is without a parallel in the work of newspapers. The liberation of this fair young Cuban was planned and successfully carried out by men to whom the work was assgined by Editor Hearst of the New York Journal. In this, as in the Guldensuppe case and many other instances, the New York Journal has immeasurably distanced its competitors. It is to be congratulated on its success in this case, notwithstanding the risk of complications with Spain, which may demand the return of Miss Cisneros to the authorities at Havana.

The democratic rally arranged for Huntington Hall on Friday night should be attended by every citizen interested in the financial question. There is at present a disposition to credit the McKinley administration with the improvement in the times and to believe that the rise in the price of wheat has demolished the arguments in favor of bimetallism, but those who attend the rally on Friday night will have their minds disabused of any such delusion. They will learn that the present improvement in the times is due to a temporary cause,—namely, the rise in the price of wheat, and that there is liable to be a relapse in business as soon as the price of wheat falls. It will be interesting to hear Mr. Williams discuss the whole question, as he can in a most convincing and logical manner.

The authorities at London have announced that they are willing to provide relief measures to prevent suffering on account of famine in Ireland. There is so much red tape about the relief measures usually adopted by England, however, that the people die before the relief reaches them. In 1847 when Ireland was suffering the throes of famine, she received assistance from the United States, from Russia, and from other countries outside England, but England contributed nothing. It was then charged that a portion of the relief cargoes were intercepted on their way to Ireland and prevented from reaching their destination. England would not attempt anything of that kind at the present day, but there is very little chance that her generosity towards Ireland will ever grow to anything like liberality.

CURRENT COMMENT

Lawrence Tribune—It is significant that no Union Jacks were carried in the procession in honor of Parnell at Dublin yesterday. The green flag and the stars and stripes were the only emblems in the big parade, which was remarkable for the numbers that participated in it, showing the tenacity of the regard in which the dead leader is held by the Irish people.

Pawtucket Times—For Sale: One trochia; has successfully kept Captain-General Weyler in Havana for several months. Apply to Sagasta, assignee of Spain.

Woonsocket Reporter—If Thomas Moore abused Thomas Jefferson he followed the example of a great many distinguished Americans of his day, who did not write as good poetry.

Springfield Republican — Senator Lodge is quoted as saying that Hawaii in case of its annexation, will not be made into a state. But what guarantee are we to have against future agitations in the direction of statehood? The Hawaiians themselves naturally will desire the additional dignity, and if the islands prove to be strongly republican, under their restricted suffrage, a support will arise in the United States in their favor. Are we ever to have presidential elections turn on the vote in Honolulu?

Haverhill Gazette—What is all this gush the Boston papers are indulging in about Governor Wolcott's son? It is to be forever the misfortune of the children of distinguished parents to be mooned over and written up ad nauseam by adolescent space writers? It is no credit to the son of the governor that he is physically strong and manly in his actions. With all the advantages that wealth has placed within his reach, it would be to his discredit if young Wolcott was anything but manly. Such adulation is positively sickening.

Providence Telegram—With the competition between North and South does any one suppose purchasers of cotton will pay more for a rectangular bale than a round one because they want to promote the prosperity of the middlemen and local interests, who now make something out of handling the raw material? That might be a charitable policy, but that is not the sort which this generation follows, and it is not much unlike its predecessors, either, except that competition is bitterer and margins of profit narrower. One New Orleans dealer says the adoption of the new kind of cotton baling would throw out of business all the 200 compresses in the South, and would mean a revolution—not only a revolution in a business sense, but one in which the people of the country will rise up in arms against the closing up of a business that now gives employment to so many working people. They will think better of that. Such ideas have been exploited in England and elsewhere, but if the round bale is the cheapest, the round bale will come into use.

BOXING GOSSIP

The Lowell friends of Luke Burke are much chagrined at the result of his encounter with Sammy Kelly for they firmly believed that he would at least have got a draw. There is no question that he was robbed of the decision and undoubtedly another match will be made. The fight in detail was described as follows:

During fourteen rounds Burke did most of the leading and landed repeatedly on Kelley's face and breast, but the champion made up considerable lost ground from the 15th round out. He rushed the Salem boy, who was tiring, and landed frequently though not hard.

The fight was advertised as a 20-round bout for the 115-pound championship of America. The boys entered the ring a few minutes after 10 o'clock after two warm preliminaries had been fought. Kelly weighed 114½, while Burke was a pound less.

Behind the New Yorker were Jimmy Dime, Pop Sawyer of England and Pat Moran. Burke was seconded by his brother Eddie, Charlie Baker and Jack Herman of New York. Both boys were in fine shape, but Burke looked to be trained finer. Sammy was full of confidence, while Burke appeared nervous.

At the gong both sprang into the ring and sparred. Kelley was the taller, but Burke the more stocky. During the first round there was no fighting of consequence, but in the second Burke landed two telling lefts on Sammy's jaw. They mixed in up in Luke's corner and honors were easy at the bell.

Burke stopped Kelley's rushes in the third, and got in several blows that hurt. A left swing on the nose made Sammy sniff. Burke landed two hard lefts on the ribs and three hard facers in the next round, while Kelley failed to land anything. The fifth was all Burke's, too.

Kelley landed only one blow, a swing on the neck, while Luke put in half a dozen jabs on the face that made Sammy wince. Kelley had the better of the sixth landing a couple of hard ones on Luke's cheek and jaw. The seventh was Burke's two to one, while the eighth was about even, with little damage done. The ninth was likewise a Burke round, for during its length Kelley failed to land a single blow, while Burke punched him time and again.

Kelley got Burke in a corner in the 10th and was giving it to him right and left when the bell rang, and probably saved Luke who was up against the ropes and helpless. The next four rounds found Burke doing the leading and landing. Kelley was unable to get in a punch that hurt.

When the gong sounded for the 16th, Kelly put on steam and rushed Burke and got in some telling punches against a couple of weak ones delivered by Luke. The 17th was even up, but in the 18th, 19th and 20th, the champion put forth his best efforts in punishing Burke severly. At the finish his lips were puffed up and he was bleeding profusely at the mouth. The decision of a draw would have pleased the crowd, which numbered 2500.

After the battle Kelley said: "Burke is a game little fighter and about the hardest nut I have ever been up against. He fought well but I earned the decision."

Manager Flaherty and Danny McBride are scheduled to box twenty rounds on October 28.

GOING TO LAWRENCE.

A party of Lowell men will attend the meeting of the Lawrence board of trade tonight. They will speak on the proposed state highway from Lowell to Lawrence. Charles Shepard of Hancock street, Lawrence, will also be present and explain his new method of treating waste suds from wool washing. Mr. Shepard has this new method patented and desires to interest local men in the formation of a concern to push this new industry.

NEW RULE

FOR THE MASSACHUSETTS BOWLING LEAGUE.

At the last meeting of the Massachusetts Amateur Bowling league, the report of the committee empowered to reorganize the league was read, and to the astonishment of several delegates, an order was introduced "that clubs who are members of the league shall be debarred from bowling with other teams in the state that are not regular league members. E. E. Babb of the Melrose A. C. of Melrose said that it was rather a peculiar situation to force other clubs to join the league, and moved that the order be laid on the table.

John B. Swift of Les Miserables of Lowell said that in time it would practically eliminate bowling if such a plan was adopted. The committee also recommended that the body should be legislative, with a view to improving bowling and that no clubs be admitted unless they owned alleys. It was voted to elect a president, three vice-presidents, a secretary, treasurer, a membership committee, a committee on rules, and a qualification committee. The qualification tribunal will determine the amateur status of every bowler. It was voted that the two-ball system be adopted, the actual pins knocked down to count.

The order which was reported by the recommendation committee prohibiting clubs to bowl with outside teams was laid on the table until the next meeting.

CRISP GOSSIP.

I have a friend, who, like all his fellow creatures, is now suffering with inevitable cold. He differs from the majority in that he partakes of all the medicines that are recommended to him by sympathizers. His condition did not improve, however, and as a last straw, thinking it could do no harm, anyway, even though it would do no good, he took a ride on an open car, as suggested by some one. By last accounts my friend is confined at the hospital, and his life is being despaired of.

I saw two curiosities in bicycles yesterday in Boston. One, in place of the ordinary handlebar, had a handle of about the size and shape of a common faucet handle attached to the post. This the rider could manipulate with one hand, while the other was employed with a huge bauble. The second machine comprised two ordinary safeties connected as to their frames by horizontal bars. Supported by these bars, there was a seat and foot rest for a third person.

An ingenious invention is coming into use in New York, designed to protect railroads from the peculations of ticket sellers. By means of a dial and index, which may be set at a degree representing the price and distance, a concealed printing mechanism is automatically adjusted. One turn of a crank causes a newly printed ticket to be ejected, which bears a serial number, the price, and the destination on its face. Meanwhile, an automatic adder inside has recorded the sale in much the manner of the cash registers now in use.

Mr. Charles Riordan of Boston, a well known liquor drummer who has a host of friends in Lowell, bears a striking resemblance to a local clergyman, so striking in fact, that he is often mistaken for the reverend gentleman. As he walked along Central street a few days ago, and before he was made aware of the resemblance, he was very much surprised at being accosted by a slightly intoxicated individual, whom he had noticed approaching him and who said to him: "I know you're looking at me, Father, and I know what you're going to say to me, but I promise you faithfully that I'll take the pledge for a year in the morning. Mr. Riordan, though greatly surprised, was equal to the emergency and said: "All right, my good man, be sure you take it, for if you don't, I'll find out about it."

A GAME DINNER.

A delightful game dinner of rabbit, partridge and quail, tastefully served, by George Kitchener, was enjoyed by Tom Hoyle and a party of friends at the Quincy yesterday. The game was supplied by a party of amateur huntsmen who went through the suburban woods a few days ago. As George is an artist in the culinary line the dinner was fit for royalty.

GRAND SACRED CONCERT.

An excellent concert will be given in Memorial hall on Sunday evening, October 17, for the benefit of St. Andrew's church. The musicians will include many from Lowell and several distinguished artists from out of town.

MUCH TIMBER DESTROYED.

Malone, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Adirondack forest fires have destroyed many thousands of dollars worth of timber in this county. The extremely high winds have started fires in many localities. Over 1000 acres in one tract of heavily timbered land were burned over in the town of Brandon, bordering the Malone town line. The fire warden says if the wind changes to the west many homes of farmers in that vicinity will be destroyed.

The east side of Mount Immortelle was burned all over, much valuable timber being destroyed. Fires are also burning in the woods at Chateaugay lake and also in the vicinity of Ayres hotel at Lake Duane.

FOUR MEN BURNED.

Youngstown, O., Oct. 13—Four men were badly burned, one probably fatally, by a "slip" at a furnace of the Mahoning Valley Iron company. The injured are: Simon Christian, Jesse Franklin, both colored; Joseph Dietl and Arthur Harskin. Christian is thought to be fatally burned.

QUARREL ENDS IN MURDER.

New York, Oct. 13.—Johanas Boyson and Gottfried Tietz, two young sailors, quarrelled last night in a boarding house, and Boyson shot Tietz in the breast and then shot himself in the abdomen. Both men were taken to a hospital, where Boyson soon afterwards died. Tietz cannot recover. He had signed articles to leave this port today as mate on a schooner.

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MERIT is what has given Hood's Sarsaparilla the largest sales in the world and enables it to accomplish thousands of wonderful CURES.

PROPOSITION REJECTED.

Brockton, Mass., Oct. 13.—The striking shoe makers held a mass meeting last night, about 400 being present, representing Stoughton, Whitman, Rockland and Brockton. The sole fasteners, finishers, edgemakers and machine operators' unions were well represented. It was voted unanimously to reject the proposition of the manufacturers, who offered two cents per pair to sole fasteners and to take back men only as they needed them.

Most of the manufacturers are now determined to fight all winter, as the season is now so spoiled that they can do nothing on their present run of work. Several manufacturers threaten to quit the business and retire rather than to have more trouble with their help. The sole fasteners are waiting for admission to the Boot and Shoe Makers' union when they expect that the other unions will help them out of their trouble by striking. There is much doubt, however, that the lasters will again go out on strike at least until April.

PRINCETONS IN POOR FORM.

Princeton, N. J., Oct. 13.—The sudden reversal in form of last year's champions is inexplicable, unless the new feature of Princeton's play, an open game, is taken into account. Three days ago they were stronger than any of the "big four"; today Harvard and possibly Pennsylvania might defeat them. However, it is evident that Coaches Moffatt, Poe, Ward and George have an object in view in putting the "tigers" through the new form of practice, and in all probability the strongest eleven in the country in open play will be evolved from the fine bucking aggregation.

AUGUSTA DOCTOR MISSING.

New York, Oct. 13.—F. W. Kinsman, a druggist, asked the police to send out a special alarm for Dr. George Brackett of Augusta, Me. Mr. Kinsman is a townsman of Dr. Brackett and acted at the request of his relatives in Augusta, who telegraphed him that Dr. Brackett had disappeared. The dispatch stated that Dr. Brackett's mind was probably affected.

Mr. Kinsman said that Dr. Brackett called at his store on Saturday, but, as he was extremely busy at the time, he did not talk to him and did not learn where he was staying. He seemed mentally sound. He also heard from Dr. Brackett by telephone on Sunday. He thinks that the doctor is all right and is staying at some hospital. Dr. Brackett is married and has been in practice in Augusta for six years. He is about 35 years old.

SUICIDAL MANIA AMONG WOMEN.

Corning, N. Y., Oct. 13.—Mrs. O. E. Edwards, aged 25 years, committed suicide by taking a dose of poison. She had separated from her husband, and was addicted to the morphine habit.

During the past two weeks three other women have attempted suicide by poisoning, and a short time before another woman ended her life by blowing her brains out.

WHISKY TRUST PROPOSED.

New York, Oct. 13.—A whisky trust of tremendous proportions is about to be formed. If all the whisky distillers who have been asked to join it do so, it will represent more than $50,000,000 capital, and will in the future be in the position to dictate prices of all the whiskys made in Kentucky and of all the high class brands made in other states.

PONY THIEF CAUGHT.

Athol, Mass., Oct. 13.—A man giving his name as Jerry Race and hailing from Brandon, Vt., was arrested here on the charge of stealing two Shetland ponies and a phaeton from Auburndale Sunday night. A description of the thief, which caused his arrest, was received from the Newton police. Race had already bargained to sell one pony to C. L. Morse of Athol for $50.

SHOT THROUGH THE HEAD.

Quincy, Mass., Oct. 13.—Edward C. Winnerberger, a carriage painter, 41 years of age and unmarried, committed suicide last evening by shooting through the head in a lot in the rear of the city hospital. His place of business at Quincy Point was burned some time ago, and it is thought that his loss may have preyed upon his mind, as no other reason for the suicide can be ascertained.

LOWELL AWAKE!

Now that our store is finished and stocked with new goods, we cordially invite the public to call and inspect our Pianos and Organs and get our prices and terms. The Pianos that are in our renting stock you should see. We shall close them out at low prices. We can sell you a new Upright Piano, handsome case, large sized stool, scarf, book and 12 lessons for

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We have the latest designs in cases and are worthy your inspection. We are bound to sell the Pianos this fall if prices and terms will do it, so a chat with us may save you dollars. Our parlors are open evenings and we are glad to show the goods whether you buy or not. Orders taken for tuning and repairing receive prompt attention. Square Pianos and Organs taken as part payment for Pianos of us.

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All the world knows how previously, how unanimously and how enthusiastically Mark Hanna jumped into the political ring last year and whooped things up for his friend Mr. McKinley. Everybody knows that as an all around delegate getter, distributer of money in places where it will do the most good and for general hustling and rabrousling Mr. Hanna is the boss. He is a political athlete and roustabout. He located whoy troughs at every crossroads and filled them with what was the most desired by mere political swine. In short, he developed and brought into the work every tough and every rough worker whose services money could buy. All these things are known to the world. The memory of poor old Tweed becomes fragrant by comparison with the recent political manipulations by Hanna. The great Master told the Pharisees that they strained at a gnat and swallowed a camel. Our modern Pharisees who had strained at Tweed swallowed Hanna. When that stalwart old Republican fighter, Thaddeus Stevens, was asked to oppose a Republican office seeker on the ground that he was a very bad man, he replied, "Well, he's our damned rascal, isn't he?" We will leave the reader to make the application.

Our modern Tweed, enlarged and improved, aspires to a new role. We hardly know what name to give it. He has made a speech in which he exhibited himself as the great savior of his country, or, to be more precise, his "beloved country." And then, too, he was the lover of a friend—his friend McKinley. He loved him with a passion that knew no bounds, and he loved him because he knew he was a "patriot." But how feeble are our own words in endeavoring to condense the ecstatic language of Mr. Hanna! Here it is. Let it be copied into every paper, spread it upon the walls of our cities and let it be pasted upon the inside of our hats. He said:

I could see in the light of experience the danger which threatened our beloved country. I saw the opportunity, I saw the man; I thought I saw what was in the hearts of the American people. I, in my own heart, vowed to give myself to the cause of my friend McKinley, not only because he was my friend—that would have been enough to have commanded all my energies—but I knew him from the day that he entered public life. I had been close to his side. I knew the workings of his mind. I knew the promptings at his heart, and I knew that he was a patriot. I knew that such a man was called upon to avert a calamity which threatened our nation, and to that cause, my country's cause, I gave my time and nearly my life.

Every "sound money" man will feel just like hugging Mr. Hanna when he reads those fiery words. He will make a good armful, but let him be hugged half at a time if necessary. To think of the dear man taking alarm at the danger with which the bimetallists were threatening his beloved country, and then only to think of the things he saw! He saw the opportunity for saving the country. He saw the man whom he would use as an instrument in saving the country and he saw right into the hearts of the American people. Of course he saw different things in different hearts. But that aside. He thought he saw into them. Then in his great heart, so tender and so loving, so noble and so patriotic, so free from guile and from self interest, he dedicated himself to the great cause of—McKinley, his friend. He would not have us believe that this was solely because he was McKinley's friend, although he says that would have been reason enough. But he know him.

From the day he took office he had been close to his side. And here the excitement begins. He knew the workings of McKinley's mind. That is just what we said last fall. We even went so far as to say that McKinley's mind was being worked by Hanna, and we were right. Who could know the workings of McKinley's mind better than the man who was working it? Then Hanna knew that McKinley was a patriot, because he knew "the promptings at his heart." There again we are confirmed. It was not the promptings of McKinley's heart, but the promptings at his heart from the heart of another man—namely, the heart of Marcus Hanna.

And now for the climax. Hanna know that the man thus hypnotized was called upon to ward off the calamity which threatened the nation's life. And then he exclaimed, "To that cause—my country's cause—I gave my time and nearly my life." If there was a dry eye in that house when Hanna said that, it ought never to be allowed to shed another tear. If there was a pin that could not have made itself heard by dropping upon the floor during the breathless moment which followed this climax, then that pin ought to have its head taken off immediately.

We thank Mr. Hanna for letting the world know how truly good he was in giving us McKinley, when we might have had Reed. Suppose Reed had carried off the convention at St. Louis and had then obstinately refused to avert the calamity which threatened the nation! Where would we have been then, and where would have been the prosperity which is now jingling in every poor man's pocket?

We are inclined to think that in consideration of this great and unselfish service Hanna's birthday should be made a national holiday. His name ought to go down to posterity at the very least as the stepfather of his country.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

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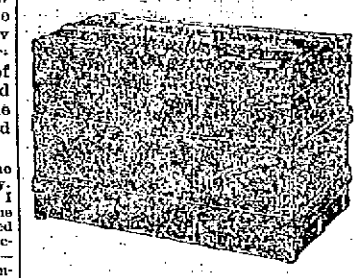

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TAXES.

Collector's Notice.

The assessors have committed to the Collector of Taxes the

TAX LIST FOR 1897,

With instructions to collect in the matter prescribed by the Statutes of the Commonwealth and the Ordinances of the City of Lowell, the sums assessed by them to the persons named therein, and he is now ready to receive payment of said Taxes at his office in City Hall.

When a Poll Tax only is assessed, the Tax is due, and if not paid forthwith, the Collector will proceed to collect the Tax as directed by the General Statutes.

WARRANTS will be promptly issued for the collection of the Poll Taxes.

SUMMONS, bearing costs, will be issued against delinquent Poll and Personal Tax Payers on or before November 1st.

INTEREST at the rate of seven per cent. per annum will be charged upon all Taxes which remain unpaid October 20, 1897, until the same shall be paid; and such interest shall be added to and considered a part of said Taxes. Poll Taxes are assessed on every male inhabitant above the age of 20 years. On undivided real estate each heir is liable for the whole tax. An error in the name of the person taxed does not defeat the collection of the Tax. Each partner is liable for the whole Tax assessed under the partnership name.

The assessors are now distributing Tax Bills. If any taxable inhabitant, by removing his residence since the first day of May, or from any cause, should not receive his Tax Bill, he must consider the Tax demanded by this notice, and a new bill will be made out on application at the office of the City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes if a Tax has been assessed.

All who preserve their Tax Bills and bring them when they come to pay, will save the time of making a new bill and facilitate the business of the office.

THE RATE OF TAXATION FOR 1897 IS $17.40 ON $100.

Office Hours: From 9 o'clock a. m. to 3 p. m.

For the convenience of the Tax paying public the office of the Collector will be open in the evening as follows: Mondays, Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays, from Oct. 4 to 16 inclusive, 7 to 8 o'clock p. m. Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from Oct. 18 to Oct. 29, inclusive, from 7 to 8 o'clock p. m.

☞ Look for your Tax Bill at your place of residence May 1st, 1897, and bring it with you.

CHARLES F. COBURN,

City Treasurer and Collector of Taxes for the City of Lowell.

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WANTED—LOCAL MANAGER IN EVERY town; wages $2 per day. Address with business reference, stating age, Box 1, Rochester, N. Y.

FOR SALE—ONE MILE FROM LOWELL, good house and barn, large hennery, one acre of land. Price $1450. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WAGONS—OWING TO LACK OF STORAGE, I am obliged to sell at any price the following wagons: viz—1 high grade drummer, 1 first class grocery wagon, 1 very fine top square wagon, 1 extra second hand square wagon. 6 Robins St.

TO LET—FIRST CLASS TENEMENTS OF five rooms at 658 Moody street. Enquire at 811 Merrimack street.

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FURNISHED ROOMS, STEAM HEAT, clean and quiet. 147 Merrimack street.

OPEN FOR THE SEASON—URBAN HALL and 3 small halls to let for parties and socials by the day, week or month at reasonable rates. Apply Room 1, Urban block.

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TO LET—A NICELY FURNISHED ROOM in Belvidere, five minutes walk from Merrimack square. References required. Apply at Sun office.

FOR SALE—NEAR WASHINGTON STREET, good cottage house of seven rooms, large lot of land and fruit. Price $1650. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

WANTED—MEN AND WOMEN TO BUY whole clothing on credit. Custom made and ready to wear. Empire Clothing Co, Over 97 Central St. Open evenings.

LOST—TWO VALUABLE HOUND PUPS, six months old in the vicinity of Lakeview. One is a black and tan, and the other white, black and tan. The finder will be rewarded by returning them to A. Pels, 949 Lakeview avenue.

BACHELLORS WILL FIND NICE FURnished, sunny rooms, well appointed, at 145 Cross street, Mrs. Nawn.

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LOST—ON MIDDLESEX STREET, A BUNdle containing a pair of trousers and a shirt. Return to J. L. Chalifoux's store and receive reward.

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WANTED—A KITCHEN GIRL AT 49 MERrimack Square.

FOR SALE—GOOD BOARDING AND LODGing house good location. Price $850. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

FOUND—A WHITE BULLDOG IN THE Highlands. Call at No. 1 Summer street, Molloy's Court. M. Sousa.

WANTED—A MAN WHO IS WILLING TO learn a paying business. Steady work. Good pay. No canvassing. 49 Middlesex street, room 76.

FOR SALE—GOOD FARM OF EIGHTY acres, good set of building, some fruit, with 3 cows, 28 hens, 20 tons of hay, 2 wagons and all the farming tools. Seven miles from Lowell. Price $2000. G. L. Hubbard, 44 Central street.

LOST—BETWEEN CHARLES ST. TRAINing school and Williams street, a gold locket and chain. Finder will please return to 50 Williams street and be rewarded.

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LOST—BETWEEN ROBINSON STREET and Hosford Square, pocketbook containing sum of money and receipt with Lizzie M. Young's name. Return to 15 Robinson street and receive reward.

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LOST—LAST NIGHT A LADIES' GOLD watch chain and charm between Aiken street and O'Donnell & Gilbert's store. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at this office.

LOST—A POCKETBOOK CONTAINING A sum of money somewhere between Suffolk street and Pawtucketville. The finder will be rewarded by leaving at A. H. Vodrig's, 71 Mammoth Road.

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YELLOW FEVER'S RAVAGE

It is Worse Than a Labor Strike on Business.

Traffic is Wholly Tied up — New Orleans Has Suffered Terribly— The Quarantine Lines.

Austin, Tex., Oct. 13.—The most serious situation now confronting the people of Texas is the almost complete blockading of travel, owing to the yellow fever scare. Many of the trains on all the principal lines have been abandoned and local lines have stopped running entirely. Both divisions of the Houston and Texas Central and the Southern Pacific are tied up most effectually, not a single wheel moving save in the extreme northern portion of the state.

Every small town in the state is rapidly organizing shotgun quarantines, so trains cannot stop except at the big cities. The situation in the entire state is highly panicky, and the feeling is one of growing alarm and apprehension. By tonight, unless the situation is relieved, the entire southern and central portions of the state will be practically without railroad facilities, as all trains will be stopped.

HOUSTON IN QUARANTINE.

Houston, Oct. 13.—The city woke up yesterday to find itself in quarantine with the declaration of State Health Officer Swearingen, based on the statement of Dr. Guiteras, that four cases of yellow fever existed here. The public schools were not opened, and this fact created some alarm. Few trains left town, and all were filled. The cases have been promptly isolated.

City health officers carefully investigated several cases called to their attention, but pronounced all of them dengue. All four cases are isolated, but no new ones were found. No trains are running now except one between here and Galveston.

NO WORSE IN NEW ORLEANS.

New Orleans, Oct. 13.—The fever situation grew no worse here yesterday, but at the same time the promise is not bright for an immediate reopening of the avenues of industry. Two deaths were announced, but no other fatalities had been reported by nightfall. The cases were as usual widely scattered and increased somewhat the total number under treatment, but at the same time there has been a large number of cases discharged, and the death percentage has suffered a fall.

THREE MORE CASES.

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 13.—Three new cases of yellow fever and no deaths are reported during the past 24 hours. There are three more cases reported on the steamer Kate, lying at Magaine point, three miles above the city. A hospital will be established there and the ship disinfected. The fever is making greatest progress along the center of the residence portion of the city, but still it is not at the ratio noted at the beginning of the outbreak.

BULLETIN ON SITUATION.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Surgeon General Wyman's bulletin on the yellow fever situation shows that new cases occurred yesterday at the following places: Mobile, three; Biloxi, 12; Edwards, 10; Clinton, Miss., one; McHenry, Miss., 11.

LAWLESS RULERS

The Radicals are Plundering Liberal Servians.

TWO HUNDRED BRIGANDS NOW ON TRIAL.

The Victims Tortured With Hot Irons.

London, Oct. 13.—A dispatch to The Daily Mail from Vienna says: The trial of 200 brigands and receivers of stolen property is proceeding at Tschaischak, in Servia. The evidence has revealed systematic plundering and murdering of members of the Liberal party at the instigation of radicals. Deputy Tajsitch, a well-known radical member of the assembly, was arraigned as an accomplice of the brigands, but the radical minister of justice procured his release, and it is expected that the same influence will secure the acquittal of the others. The trial has developed horrifying evidence of the torturing of victims with red hot irons before robbery.

TORNADO IN NEW JERSEY.

New York, Oct. 13.—A tornado struck New Jersey yesterday. It travelled from the little village of Far Hills, near Summit, to Elizabeth. At Elizabeth it wrecked a building and killed a man who had sought shelter there. The storm appeared in the form of a black cloud, which increased in size and rapidity as it approached the village. Its path was about 300 feet wide. A barn belonging to David Dumont was demolished. The roof of a house which stood nearby was stripped of its shingles and shutters. The most serious damage was at the depot, which was unroofed, the heavy tin being rolled up into a mass and carried several hundred feet.

When the storm reached Elizabeth it swept down a partly finished house. John Clarke, a laborer, of Bayonne, with another workman, had taken refuge in the partly completed house, and Clarke was buried in the wreck and killed. His companion managed to get out with slight injuries. Throughout the city the storm did considerable damage, and telegraph and telephone wires are prostrated.

MASONS IN BALTIMORE.

Baltimore, Oct. 13.—The opening exercises of the 30th triennial and also the centennial conclave of the general grand chapter of Royal Arch Masons of the United States were held yesterday at the temple. The morning session was taken up with addresses of welcome, responses and the reports of officers.

The grand council elected the following: General grand master, Bradford Nichol of Tennessee; general grand deputy master, William H. Mayo of Missouri; general grand principal conductor, Dr. Seramus Bowen of Massachusetts; general grand treasurer, Charles H. Heaton of Vermont; general grand recorder, H. W. Nordhurst of Indiana; general grand captain of the guard, A. P. Swanstrom of Minnesota; general grand conductor of council, H. C. Larrabee of Baltimore; general grand marshal, G. M. Acklin of Ohio; general steward, J. T. Baron of South Carolina.

FAREWELL POSTPONED.

New York, Oct. 13.—After addressing a note of farewell to Charles Dana Gibson, telling him of his contemplated suicide, Baron Knopsky, who came here from Rio de Janeiro several months ago, turned on the gas jets in his room at 28 West Twenty-fifth street. The baron was found unconscious in the room by one of Mr. Gibson's employes after the door had been broken open. He was removed to the New York hospital, where he was placed in charge of a detective. If the baron recovers the usual charge of attempted suicide will be preferred against him.

The baron is reputed to have been very wealthy at one time. He is said to have met with financial losses within the last few years. Mr. Gibson said that he knew the baron only in a business way.

NOTABLE GATHERING.

New Haven, Oct. 13.—The city of elms, which has, on many occasions, been the scene of notable gatherings, has probably at no time entertained a more prominent assemblage of religious workers as are now in attendance at the 87th annual meeting of the American board of foreign missions, which opened here yesterday, and will continue through Friday. The delegates include many of the most prominent men in the Congregational church, and there is every indication that the convention will be one of the most successful ever held.

FAST TRIAL BY JURY.

Concord, N. H., Oct. 13.—What is believed to be the shortest jury trial on record in this state took place in the supreme court for Merrimack county yesterday. The case was that of the state vs. Edward Cox of Pembroke, accused of selling malt liquor, a second offense. County Solicitor Fletcher presented the state's case, and two witnesses testified. The defense offered no evidence and the case was given to the jury. A verdict of guilty was brought in and a fine of $50 and costs imposed, all in less than 30 minutes.

THE SEAL QUESTION AGAIN

Ashtonishment Over Position of England Toward Conference.

Heavy Increase in Exports—The Government's Plea for Admission of Arizona to Statehood.

Washington, Oct. 13.—Secretary Sherman has written a reply to the note of Lord Salisbury expressing Great Britain's declination to take part in a Behring sea conference in which Russia and Japan are to participate. The essential features of Mr. Sherman's reply have been sent by cable to the British government, and the reply in full is now on its way to the British authorities. Lord Salisbury's note of declination, it can now be stated, bore date of Oct. 6, last Wednesday, so that the response is made with promptness.

The answer states that the United States government views with astonishment the determination of Great Britain not to participate in a conference including Japan and Russia, and the statement is made that up to the 23rd of last month the United States authorities had fully expected that the conference would proceed with Russia and Japan as well as Great Britain present. It is pointed out that, aside from the written correspondence, to which Lord Salisbury had called attention, there were verbal negotiations between Ambassador Hay and his lordship in which specific reference was made to the participation of Russia and Japan. At one of these verbal exchanges, it is stated, Lord Salisbury said he would advise with the officials of the foreign office concerning the subjects discussed, which included the participation of Russia and Japan. Subsequently, on July 29, Ambassador Hay wrote to Lord Salisbury saying that the president hoped to have Russia and Japan participate in the conference. In view of these circumstances the United States had confidently expected that Great Britain would take part in the conference and that Russia and Japan would be represented with the approval of Great Britain.

Besides the foregoing reply, and in view of the differences which have arisen, the state department suggests a conference in accordance with the terms of Lord Salisbury's agreement as he construes it, namely, between experts of Great Britain, the United States and Canada. This last feature is now under consideration by the British government, its substance having been transmitted by cable; but it is not expected that an answer will be made until Mr. Sherman's answer in detail reaches London.

In the meantime preparations for the conference between the United States Russia and Japan are proceeding. While an exact date has not yet been fixed for the conference, the expectation is that all the delegates will be here in time to bring them together Oct. 20.

MILLIONS OF AN INCREASE.

Washington, Oct. 13.—The treasury statement of the principal articles of domestic exports shows that during September the exports of breadstuffs from the United States amounted to $31,629,-946, an increase as compared with September, 1896, of over 100 per cent, and an increase of about 300 per cent over September, 1895. The increase over September, 1894, was about 400 per cent. Other items of exports during September, with increase or decrease as compared with the same month in 1896, are given as follows: Cotton, $14,665,400; decrease, $2,200,000. Mineral oils, $4,850,-891; decrease, $650,000. Cattle and hogs, $3,090,752; increase, $400,000. Provisions, $12,835,422; increase, $2,200,000. For the nine months ended Sept. 30 the exports of breadstuffs, cotton, mineral oil, cattle and hogs and provisions amounted to $399,145,945, an increase as compared with the same period of 1896 of about $62,-140,000.

STOCK BREEDERS' PARADISE.

Washington, Oct. 13.—In the annual report for the past fiscal year of Mayron H. McCord, governor of Arizona, made public yesterday the governor makes an elaborate plea for immigrants. Discussing the statehood question, the report says that Arizona has as much wealth as the average of the 22 states admitted from 1791 to 1870. The requirements as to population, education and wealth, the governor says, are fully met. The governor eulogizes the grazing lands as stock breeders' paradise, capable of maintaining 3,000,000 head of cattle a year. The annual wool clip of the territory will aggregate about 10,000,000 pounds.

Governor McCord estimates the territory's population at 87,500. He urges more money for the governor's salary, or authority to the legislature to pay his traveling expenses.

GUESTS IN PANIC

In One of Chicago's Largest Hotels.

A FIRE IN SHERMAN HOUSE SPREAD RAPIDLY.

Inmates Carried Out by the Firemen.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—At 1:20 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the Sherman House, one of the largest hotels in the city, and, although all of the guests and the servants escaped, there was for a time the liveliest kind of a panic among them. The fire originated in the kitchen from a gas stove and spread with great rapidity.

The hotel is now in the course of being remodelled, the entire first story being supported by jack-screws. This open space gave the fire quite a chance, and the strong breeze that was blowing from the west fanned the fire fiercely. In a few minutes the entire building was filled with a dense cloud of smoke, and the attaches of the hotel office were hurrying through the halls calling on the guests to prepare to leave. Many of the guests needed no warning and were in the halls half dressed and more than ready to make their escape to the open air as soon as they saw a chance to do so. There was a wild rush for the street, and in a few minutes all of them, in all conditions of undress, were in the street, or safely on their way to it.

The servants were located in the seventh story of the hotel, and for a time it looked as though some of them would not be able to reach the street in safety owing to the dense clouds of smoke that filled the building. The firemen were compelled to carry several of the girls down two flights of stairs until they could secure a passage way to the street that was comparatively free from smoke, and from this point all of them manged to make their escape from the building without accident.

The flames were confined to the rear portion of the hotel, and although for a time the fire looked to be dangerous the firemen soon had it under control. The damage to the building will not be over $5000.

HARRISON'S CITY DEMOCRATIC.

Indianapolis, Oct. 13.—Thomas Taggert, Democrat, defeated W. N. Harding, Republican, for mayor by a plurality that will reach 5000. The Republicans gave up the fight early, conceding a majority of from 3000 to 5000. At 11 o'clock 120 precincts out of a total of 195 gave Taggert a plurality of 3100. If this ratio keeps up the official count will show a clear plurality for Mayor Taggert of 5000.

The rest of the ticket, including six councilmen-at-large, is elected by from 3000 to 4000. Of the ward councilmen, the Republicans will elect probably not more than four out of 15. Mayor Taggert was deluged with telegrams from all over the country. He is frely spoken of as the next Democratic candidate for governor. He was elected on a silver platform.

NEWS FAKIR AT WORK.

New York, Oct. 13.—District Attorney Youngs, who has charge of the prosecution of the alleged murderers of Guldensuppe, denies that Mrs. Nack is willing to plead guilty to manslaughter and to give evidence against Martin Thorn. He also says that Emanuel Friend, counsel for Mrs. Nack, had not made such a proposition to him on behalf of his client. Further, Mr. Youngs declared that he had no expectations that Mrs. Nack would confess or enter a plea of guilty in any degree.

Mr. Friend characterized the story as "bosh," and said: "I wish to state positively that I have not seen District Attorney Youngs, and that I have not been authorized as alleged."

COLONEL WARING DECLINES.

New York, Oct. 13.—Colonel George E. Waring has declined the nomination of the Jeffersonian Democracy for the office of comptroller. He was asked if any understanding had been had with Charles W. Dayton or any one else to take his place on the George ticket. He replied: "No, not to my definite knowledge. I had expected to know by this time, but I do not. I have not seen Mr. Dayton nor anyone who could speak for him, nor have I received any information from the committee. I am aware, however, that Mr. Dayton has been thought of most prominently as the one to take the nomination."

ONE ADDRESS ENDED.

Chicago, Oct. 13.—Assistant State Attorney McEwen finished his argument in the Luetgert trial yesterday, and was followed today by Attorney Phalen, who will make the opening address for the defense. McEwen went over the ca carefully, connecting the details of the evidence for the jury and showing how one circumstance fitted into another, and how the whole mass of evidence submitted by the state furnished, in his opinion, a full and complete circumstantial chain, proving that Luetgert had murdered his wife in order that his relations with his servant girl might remain undisturbed.

VACATION PLEASURE MARRED.

Portland, Me., Oct. 13.—John Blair of Boston has been brought to the Maine general hospital in this city. He left Boston to spend two weeks' vacation with his brother at Berlin Falls, and on Saturday he went into the woods on a gunning trip. By the accidental discharge of a gun in the hands of one of the party, Blair received a charge of buckshot in the right leg just above the knee. There is some hope of saving his leg.

EVIDENCE OF ARSON.

Concord, N. H., Oct. 13.—The police have discovered evidences of incendiarism in connection with a tenement house fire. The fire broke out in the loft of a tenement occupied by Edward S. Carroll, but was easily subdued by the department. Carroll's son-in-law, Hiland P. Cass, with whom he had quarrelled, and who was seen to leave the loft just before the fire broke out, has been arrested. He asserts his innocence.

BURMANS RAN AMUCK.

Mandalay, Burmah, Oct. 13.—A gang of 25 Burmans, armed with long knives, rushed through the south gate of Mandalay fort Monday night and made for the residence of Major Dobbie. They were driven off by the British officers on duty. Four of the Burmese were killed and four wounded. Lieutenant Harrington of the British force and three sepoys were wounded.

A HEAVY DECISION

It Involves the Ownership of Land

VALUED AT $45,000,000 ON THE HARLEM RIVER.

Mr. Sage Becomes Owner of Tideway Land.

New York, Oct. 13.—The court of appeals, in the case of Henry W. Sage against the mayor, has handed down a decision that affects all the land around the island of Manhattan which was formerly in the tideway, and which is valued at over $45,000,000. The suit was brought by Mr. Sage, who was the owner of land on the Harlem river.

The city, in carrying out its plan of improvement, filled in a strip in front of Mr. Sage's land in what is known as the "tideway," that is, the land lying between the high and low water marks. He claimed that the owners of land fronting on the river either owned the land in the tideway when it was filled in by the city, or, if they did not own it, they were entitled to the right of access from the water to their own upland, even if the land should be held to extend only to high water mark.

The rights of the city in relation to the land between high and low water marks are derived from the Dongan charter of 1686 and the Montgomerie charter of 1730. Both Judge Barrett, who tried the case, and the appellate division, on an appeal from Judge Barrett's decision, held that the city of New York under these charters had an absolute ownership of all the land between low and high water mark, and that the construction of an exterior street and bulkhead by the city gave no right of action for damages to an owner of upland who, by this construction, was cut off from the water. This decision has just been affirmed.

FARMHAND BADLY BURNED.

Leominster, Mass., Oct. 13.—The Wilder homestead, house and barn, owned by Emmons Crocker of Fitchburg and situated on the shore of Whalom lake, was burned flat by an accidental fire yesterday afternoon. The house was built in 1635, was a historical landmark and one of the oldest buildings in Worcester county. The combined loss is $3000; insurance, $1200. Edward Griffin, a farmhand, was very badly burned while attempting to extinguish the fire and may die.

ORDER CLERK IN TROUBLE.

Marlboro, Mass., Oct. 13.—George Bursley, an order clerk employed by C. G. Creelman & Co., provision dealers, was before the municipal court yesterday charged by the firm with embezzlement. Mr. Creelman testified that according to inquiry into customers' accounts $211.77 were the sum missed. Bursley was held for the grand jury on probable cause. The allegation is that he received cash from customers, but entered the items as credit accounts.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Senator Tillman is suffering from jaundice. No immediate danger is apprehended.

The budget committee of the French chamber of deputies has voted to increase the standing army by 12,000 men.

It is said that fondness for women and for one in particular, had a great deal to do with the downfall of W. A. Trask ex-teller of the bank at Wallingford, Conn., which he robbed of $6000.

Albert Frantz of Dayton, O., is to be electrocuted Thursday night for the murder of his sweetheart. The governor gave Frantz a respite until the 19th to give him a chance before the board of pardons.

The French vintage for the year is very bad, the production being about only half the nominal requirements of France. The Spanish outlook is also bad. The Italian vintage, on the contrary, is exceptionally good in all parts of the country.

One hundred and fifty Christian Endeavorers, representing the several societies in Vermont and New Hampshire which compose T. E. Baldwin union, met at the Congregational church in Oxford, N. H., yesterday afternoon and evening, the occasion being the 15th semi-annual convention.

At a large meeting in Manchester, Eng., a resolution was adopted calling upon the government, "in view of the injurious effects of the dislocation between gold and silver," to take advantage of the overtures of France and the United States and "redeem the government's promises in regard to securing a stable parity between gold and silver."

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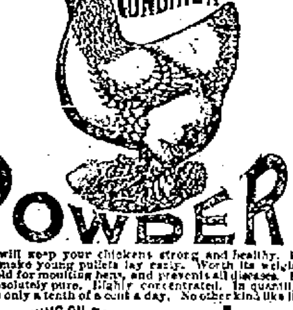

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NEW ZEALAND LAWS.

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The governments of the Australasian colonies, and especially New Zealand, are gradually nationalizing, or, if you please, socializing, what in Canada or the United States would be considered individual or corporate business utilities. Legislative measures in Australia proper are not quite so far advanced as in New Zealand, but all the Australian colonies will speedily follow the example of New Zealand. New South Wales has just closed its first (successful) financial year under a policy of free trade and a direct land tax on unimproved values.

Usually when Australian or New Zealand legislation is referred to in the Canadian or American press it is said to be socialistic, anarchistic, wildcat, experimental or trial legislation, and the people look in vain for explanations. A perusal of the following brief reference to some of the measures will assist the reader in coming to a correct conclusion as to whether the New Zealand laws are in the interests of the whole people or in the interests of a few privileged individuals.

First.—The land and income tax assessment act now in force in New Zealand imposes a tax upon incomes and an ordinary tax upon land and mortgages—the amount of which is fixed annually by a rating act. There is also an additional graduated tax upon the unimproved value of land held in large blocks of from one-eighth of a penny to twopence in the pound. Improvements pay no taxes. The income tax is payable upon incomes derived from employment and from business, including investments other than those in mortgages on land upon which the ordinary land tax is levied. An exemption of £300 is allowed to every person domiciled in New Zealand.

Second.—Advances are made by the government to actual settlers—in fact, any farmer may borrow on the security of his farm and improvements an amount ranging from £25 to £3,000 at 5 per cent interest per annum and repay the principal on very easy terms. On this account existing mortgages in favor of private parties or corporate companies which are bearing high rates of interest are being paid off. It is believed that this system will soon be extended so that the artisan class may take advantage of it.

Third.—The schools are national and free.

Fourth.—Over $1,000,000 has already been expended by the government of New Zealand in establishing technical schools.

Fifth.—The government controls the postoffice and postoffice savings banks, and the postage between any two points in New Zealand is a penny, and the deposits in the government savings banks are always available with interest when required.

Sixth.—The government controls and operates the telegraph system in connection with the postal service, and a ten word message costs only sixpence.

Seventh.—The government controls and operates the telephone system, and the charges are about two-thirds the usual Canadian or American charges, and the profits go to government and consequently to the whole people.

Eighth.—The government gives state or national life insurances, and the premium rates are lower than the average rates charged by private companies. Every policy holder feels that he has the whole nation as a guarantee behind his risk.

Ninth.—The government is now perfecting plans in regard to national fire insurance.

Tenth.—The government has practically established a state or national bank. South Australia was first to move in the establishing of a national government bank which is managed in the interests of the people. There is no object in the government forcing citizens into bankruptcy in time of depression.

Eleventh.—The government controls and is responsible for the administration of all estates, for which service a very nominal fee is charged and the widows and orphans are protected from legal troubles.

Twelfth.—The government charges a graduated succession tax of from 2 per cent to 10 per cent according to the value of the estate.

Thirteenth.—The government owns and operates all the railroads excepting one short line, which will also soon be nationalized. The freight and passenger rates on the government roads are such as give about 3¼ per cent interest on the capital invested. The rates do not discriminate, neither are they deferential or preferential, nor do the people pay freight and passenger rates necessary to provide interest upon watered stock.

Fourteenth.—Women vote at all elections in New Zealand and also in South Australia, which has undoubtedly had a very beneficial influence.

Fifteenth.—Eight hours constitute a legal day's work, for which fair living wages are paid. This gives the workers more time for mental improvement, recreation, health building, etc., life is considered worth living and shorter hours per day also compensate to some extent for the loss of labor caused by the general use of machinery.

Sixteenth.—The large estates, principally acquired by squatters who located their holdings early in the history of New Zealand, and for which little or nothing was paid, are being purchased by the government for the benefit of actual settlers—that is the estates are assessed for taxation purposes at the owner's valuation, the government reserving the right to take over the land (excluding a homestead, if required) at the owner's valuation, plus 10 per cent, if the owner's valuation is considered too low.

Seventeenth.—A conciliatory board has been established in every town or city where any difficulty is likely to arise between capital and labor. These boards are comprised of three representative business men, three representatives from the trades unions and a district judge. A strike is impossible in New Zealand.

Eighteenth.—Public libraries, museums, parks and gardens have been established in every city and town. Public baths are also found in many places.

Nineteenth.—Considerable of the land adjoining the cities and towns is held as public domain and for small homesteads for the artisan class.

Twentieth.—Wednesday afternoon is the usual half holiday during each week.

I do not know of any country where there are so few very rich and so few very poor as in New Zealand. The laws tend toward providing an equal opportunity to all and to check the overreaching of those possessed of wolfish propensities. It is quite true that party politics still prevail and that the government opposition in New Zealand is dissatisfied, also the money lending and land monopolizing classes, likewise those who have had or who wish to have special privileges, and their cause is championed by a financially strong wing of the press.

The writer spent over eight months in the Australasian colonies and never met a man who could give good or valid reasons why the so called radical laws should be repealed. On the contrary, the general opinion is that an honest administration of the laws will secure for the people of New Zealand unprecedented contentment and prosperity.—T. J. McBride in Twentieth Century.

The Labor Movement.

The labor movement in its broadest terms is the effort of men to live the lives of men. It is a systematic, organized struggle of the masses to obtain primarily more leisure and larger economic resources, but that is not by any means all, because the end and purpose of it all is a richer existence for the toilers, and that with respect to mind, soul and body. Half conscious though it may be, the labor movement is a force pushing toward the attainment of the purpose of humanity; in other words, the end of the growth of mankind—namely, the full and harmonious development in each individual of all human faculties—the faculties of working, perceiving, knowing, loving; the development, in short, of whatever capabilities of good there may be in man.

The true significance of the labor movement is this: It is an attempt to bring to pass the idea of human development which has animated sages, prophets and poets of all ages; the idea that a time must come when warfare of all kinds must cease and when a peaceful organization of society shall find a place wherein its framework is for the best growth of each personality, which one but subserves another's gains. Nor should it excite surprise to divert the movement from its true path into destructive byways. False guides are ever found combating true leaders, and there is backward motion as well as advance. But frequent whirlpools and innumerable eddies do not prevent the onward flow of the mighty system.—Professor R. P. Ely.

Question and Answer.

Democratic and Republican politicians have been saying the country for 30 years on the tariff plan. In the meantime labor every year is worse paid, our farmers get poorer every year, our merchants fail in larger numbers each year, while bankers, trust magnates and stock gamblers pile up princely fortunes. How long will it take the workers to see that what we call government is but a vast machine for transferring the wealth created by labor into the hands of a privileged few? No man, however skillful, industrious or thrifty, could honestly earn one year's income of John D. Rockefeller in 1,000 years. Then how do he and 800 other millionaires get their money? The answer can be read in the pinched faces of 3,000 starving miners, in the shabby clothes of 10,000 toiling mechanics, in the sallow cheeks of 10,000 factory girls and boys and in the mortgages on 1,000,000 farms and homes. "How long, O Lord, how long," will beings in the image of their Maker consent to be blind dupes and slaves?—Nashville Journal of Labor.

Ohio Mortgages.

While we are looking at the bright side of things let us look at the secretary of state's mortgage statistics for Ohio. There were 71,598 mortgages given last year, calling for $78,744,598, while only 51,338 were canceled, securing $59,256,023. In other words, the rich state of Ohio is covered by 20,260 more mortgages than a year ago, showing $20,000,000 more of debt than at that time. Notwithstanding this increase of debt, every sheriff in Ohio has been busy foreclosing mortgages and thousands of people have been dispossessed. If this is prosperity, let us have a little adversity or diversity for a change.—Toledo Union.

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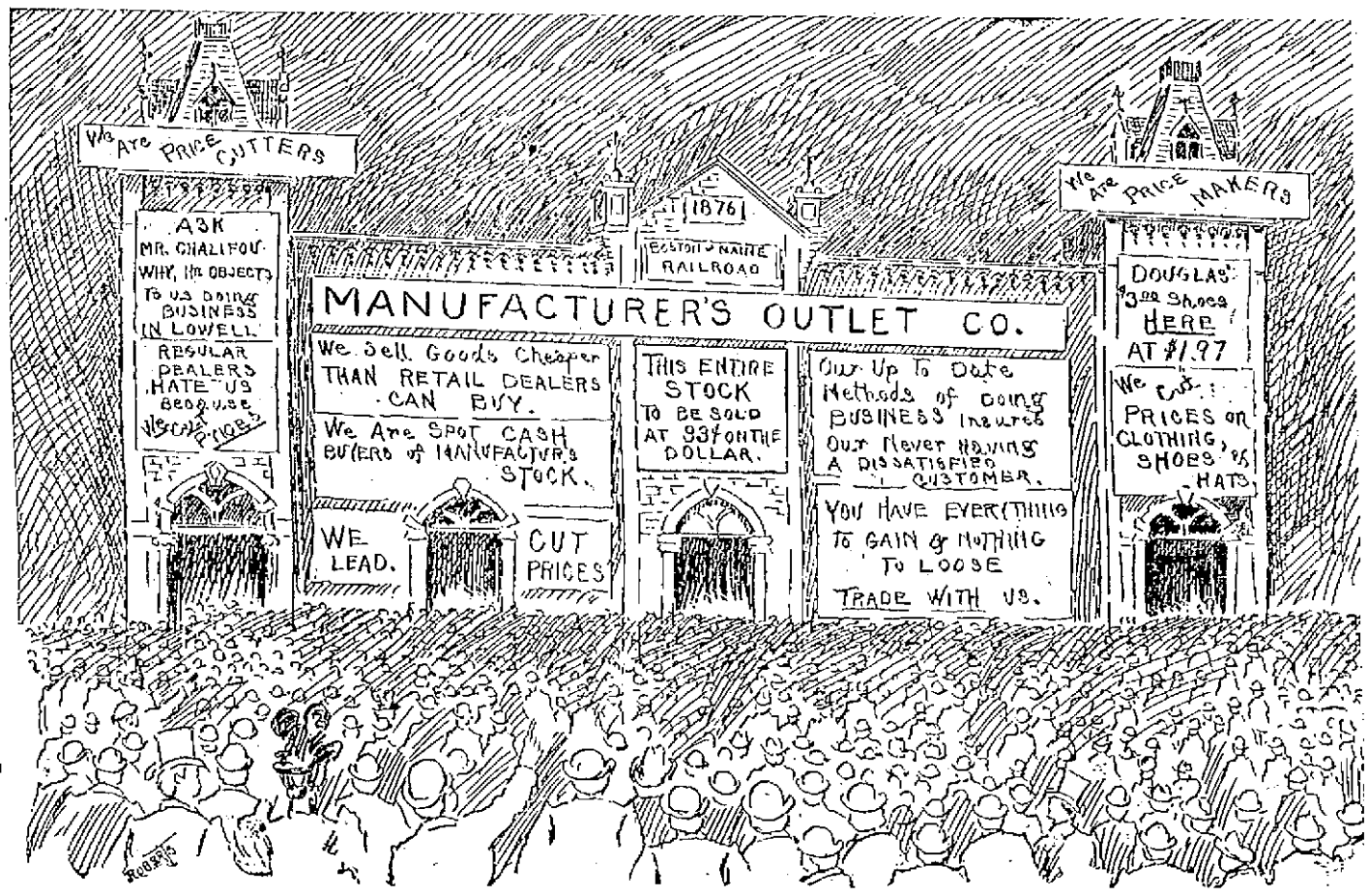

Because we bought out Manufacturers' Stocks and sold them at Small Profits to the Wage Earners, we have been ordered to get out of our store.

Through the efforts of our grateful patrons, we have leased for a term of years the old Boston & Maine depot, Central Street, and on Thursday morning we will have a grand jubilee opening and carnival for the people of Lowell who have so nobly stuck to us since our advent in Lowell. Just because the owner has made enough money out of the wage earners of Lowell to buy the building we are in now, he can't get rid of us so easily as that. There is no limit to our push and business enterprise. He'll have to get up a little earlier in the morning than he has so far to succeed in stopping our successful career in this city. We know that it's prices and values people want, not plate glass windows and mahogany tables. Let our would-be-competitors tear their hair and try to hurt us as much as they can. Right will prevail, truth will prevail, justice will prevail. **THE PEOPLE OF LOWELL WON'T BE FOOLED.** If you doubt that, watch the roar and rush of business in our store, while other stores in our line are practically deserted. Facts talk; fact is mighty.

Here is a short list of our wonderful, marvellous leaders on sale after Thursday. Don't fail to be on hand at our grand opening at our new home Thursday evening at 8.30.

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Money back on any purchase that is not satisfactory.

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$3.98

Men's and Young Men's Elegant Patent Beaver Overcoats, of cloth made expressly for the finest manufacturers, lined with extra heavy triple warp leather cloth and fine clay worsted and serge lining, velvet pockets. Wm. Skinner's best silk sleeve lining, equal to the best garments that the regular clothing dealers can sell for $25; Outlet Co.'s sale price

$9.98

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Ladies', Men's, Boys', Misses', and Children's latest fall style Golf and Bicycle Caps, in all the nobblest shapes and latest up-to-date patterns. Regular dealers' price, 75c; Outlet Co.'s sale price

34c.

Men's and Young Men's latest and very nobblest fall style black and brown Stiff Hats, lined and trimmed with best silk braid; all sizes; regular dealers' price, $1.50; Outlet Co.'s sale price

79c.

Men's Pants

Men's Heavy Black Cheviot Pants, well made, of good material, just right for working in. All sizes, worth $1.75. Outlet sale price

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Men's Extra Heavy Black Cheviot Pants; also a good working trouser, up-to-date style, excellent grade of goods, fast colors, strongly sewed; worth $2.75; Outlet sale price

98c.

Men's Extra Quality Fall and Winter Cheviots, in brown and grey effects, most all quiet shades, suitable for any occasion, good quality, properly cut and well put together; strong and good wearer; will suit any man who is a judge of values; easily worth $2.75; Outlet Co.'s price

$1.39

Men's Medium and Heavy Weight Fall and Winter Weight Pants, in Cassimeres, stripes and checks, all well made, custom tailor cut, hand sewed, riveted buttons, extra deep pockets, fancy lasting trimmed, all sizes, colors that never fade and goods that wear well. Very best quality wool. Worth $3.50. Now

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Men's and Young Men's Full Weight Overcoats, Top Coats and Box Coats.

Men's and Young Men's extra fine Kersey and Imported Melton Overcoats in all shapes and up-to-date styles, piped throughout with the finest silk and satin; every one guaranteed equal to the finest and best made custom made garment; very suitable for dress occasions; regular dealers' prices, $33 to $40; Outlet Co.'s sale price

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Boys' Long Pants

Boys' Heavy Black Cheviot Long Pants, extra well made, all sizes. Regular dealers' price, $1.25; Outlet Co.'s price

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Boys' Latest Fall Style Brown Mixed Cheviot Pants, extra well made and guaranteed good wearers. All sizes. Regular Dealers' price, $2; Outlet Co.'s sale price

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Men's all-wool Fleece Lined $1.50 Underwear, now	39c.
Men's 75c. Shirts,	23c.
Men's 35c. Socks,	7c.
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Thousands of Drummers' Samples, new fall Paris styles.

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19c.

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Men's Genuine Satin Calf Lace and Congress Shoes, all shape toes, solid leather guaranteed, all sizes; regular price, $1.75; Outlet sale price, per pair

98c.

Men's Satin Calf Lace and Congress Shoes, McKay sewed, in all shapes and styles and sizes, guaranteed strictly solid leather; worth $2.50; Outlet sale price, per pair

$1.19

James Means' genuine Calf Skin Shoes, double soles and waterproof, in lace and congress, in medium, narrow, and wide shape toes, smooth inner soles McKay sewed, every pair guaranteed; worth $3.00; Outlet sale price

$1.49

Men's genuine $3 Royal Shoe, calf skin and hand welt, white oak, tanned bottom, guaranteed smooth lined inner soles, every pair worth $3.00; Outlet sale price

$1.69

Douglass's French Calf Patent Leather Lace Shoes, in razor, round, and medium toes, Goodyear welt, worth $3.50; Outlet sale price

$1.97

Men's Suits

Men's and Young Men's Heavy Fall and Winter Suits, extra well made, in strong and serviceable Black and Blue Cheviots. These suits are intended for business purposes and as such are constructed on lines that will stand the strongest test the wearer can give them. The cut and fit is equal to that of the best; sold by regular dealers anywhere from $10 to $12.50; Outlet Co.'s sale

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Men's and Young Men's Heavy Fall and Winter Suits, made from fabrics that will stand hard knocks and rough usage, withal of stylish design, fashionable cut and make. The colors are medium and dark, fabrics in Cassimeres, Tweeds, and Black and Blue Cheviots, and will be sold by regular dealers later on for $10, sale price

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Men's and Young Men's latest fall and winter style, high grade, strictly all wool suits, lined and trimmed throughout with the very best material piped with silk and satin, all sizes, made by the best makers in America, guaranteed value, $22.50; sale price

$7.98

One lot of 960 Men's and Young Men's elegant made and trimmed Suits, lined throughout with the best silk and French-faced in all the popular styles. This suit is a world beater and must be seen to be appreciated, as we can give but a faint idea of the quality and make in printers' ink. Sold by regular dealers for $23; Outlet Co.'s sale price

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Men's and Young Men's Fall and Winter style, strictly all wool, worsted suits, in all the latest patterns and shades, all made by the men who make the fashions in Cutaways and Sacks, all sizes, guaranteed value $28, sale price

$11.98

Children's Suits

Children's Heavy Weight Winter Suits in Brown mixtures, with deep sailor and fancy braided collars. Ages 4 to 15. Regular dealers' price, $2.00; Outlet Co.'s sale price

$1.24

Children's Fancy Cassimere Suits, Extra Heavy Weight, reefer style, in all shades and makes. Sizes 4 to 15. Regular dealers' price, $2.50; Outlet Co.'s price.

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Children's Extra Heavy and Extra Well Made Black, Brown, Blue and Grey mixed, double-breasted Winter Suits, suitable for school, tough wearers. Every one guaranteed. Sizes 4 to 15. Regular dealers' price, $3.75; Outlet Co.'s sale price

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"Oh, Mrs. Miggs, what a dreadful black eye! I do hope you haven't been fighting."
"Foightin, miss! Me? Sure, how could Oi be foightin wid me husband dead this two years?"—Sketch.

HENRY AND THE SAW

THEY CAME TOGETHER TO SAVE A THIRSTY TRAMP.

The Weary Wayfarer Wanted Ten Cents but Henry Speny Knew the Money Would Go For Drinks—His Odd Ruse to Outwit the Tramp and Its Sequel.

Summer was here and the day was warm. Henry Speny had been walking and now stood at the corner of two streets mopping his brow. Henry Speny was a conservative, and although Mrs. Speny had that morning gone almost to the frontiers of a fist fight to make him change his underwear for the lighter and more gauzy apparel of jocund July Henry Speny had refused. He was now paying the piper, and was just thinking how much more Mrs. Speny knew than he did when the tramp came up.

"Podner," said the tramp in a low, guttural whine, intended to escape the ear of the police and touch Henry Speny's heart at one and the same time—"podner, couldn't you assist a poor man a little?"

"Assist a poor man to what?" asked Henry Speny, returning his handkerchief to his pocket and looking at the tramp.

He was a fat, healthy tramp, in good condition. Henry Speny hardened his heart.

"Dime," replied the tramp; "dime to get something to eat."

"No. Not on your life!" said Henry Speny shortly. "I'm a half dozen meals behind the game myself."

This last was only Henry Speny's humor. Mrs. Speny fed him twice a day, but Henry Speny knew that the tramp wanted the dime for whisky.

"Well, if you don't think I want it to chew on," said the tramp, "just take me to a bakery and buy me a loaf of bread. I'll git away with it right before you."

"Say," remarked Henry Speny in a tone of sarcastic irritation, "what's the use of your talking to me? There's a charity woodyard in this town where, if you were really hungry, you would go and saw wood for something to eat. You can get two meals and a bed for sawing one-sixteenth of a cord of wood."

"You can't saw wood with no such fin as this, podner," said the tramp. And pulling up his coat sleeve he displayed to Henry Speny an arm as withered as a dead tree. "The other's all right," he continued, restoring his coat sleeve, "but wot's one arm in a catch as catch can racket with a bucksaw?"

Henry Speny was conscious stricken, but he would defeat the tramp in his efforts to buy whisky.

"I'll go down to the woodyard and saw your wood myself," said Henry Speny.

He told Mrs. Speny afterward that he could not account for the making of this offer unless it was his anxiety to keep the tramp sober. All the tramp wanted was 10 cents, and for Henry Speny to propose to saw one-sixteenth of a cord of hard wood on a hot day when a dime would have made all things even was a conundrum too deep for Henry Speny as he looked back over the transaction, but he did make the proposal, and the tramp accepted with a grin of gratitude.

There were 20 sticks in that one-sixteenth of a cord—hard, knotty sticks too. And each one had to be sawed three times—60 cuts in all. It was a poor bucksaw. Before he had finished the third stick Henry Speny declared that it was the most beastly bucksaw he ever handled in his life. The buck itself was a wretched buck and wouldn't stand still while Henry Speny sawed. It had a habit of tipping over, and when Henry Speny put his knee on the stick to steady the refractory buck the knots tore his trousers and made his leg black and blue. Then the perspiration got in his eyes and made them smart. When he wiped it away, he saw two of his friends looking at him in a shocked, sober way from across the street. They passed on and told everybody that Henry Speny was down at the charity woodyard sawing wood for his food. They said, too, that they had reason to believe he did this every day; that business had gone to pieces with him, and an assignment couldn't be staved off much longer. Henry Speny would have thrown up the job with the second stick, but the tramp was already half through with his meal. Henry Speny could see him bolting his food like a glutton through the window from where he stood.

It took Henry Speny two hours to saw those 20 sticks 60 times. His hands were a fretwork of blisters. His back and shoulders ached like a galley slave's. Henry Speny hired a carriage to take him home. He couldn't stand the slam and jolt of a street car. He was laid up three days with the blisters on his hands, while Mrs. Speny rubbed his back and shoulders with arnica.

On the fourth day, as Henry Speny was limping painfully toward his office, he heard a voice he knew.

"Podner, can't you assist a poor m—Oh, beg pardon. You looked so different I didn't know you."

It was the fat tramp with the withered arm. Without a word Henry Speny gave him 10 cents and hobbled on.—New York Journal.

Willing to Oblige Her.

"I want to know where you have been all this time," said Mrs. Lushforth as he wabbled into the house. "I want to know where you have been, and I will know right away."

"Orri," said Mr. Lushforth, jaunting in his hat and starting more or less for the door.

"Where are you going now?"

"Goin out to find the boys, saze I kin find one where I been."—Indianapolis Journal.

VERSE FROM A VAULT

NEW DEPARTURE BY THE EDITOR OF THE BILLVILLE BANNER.

Being Short of News He Prints a Few of the Epitaphs Scattered Around His New Sanctum—Many of Them Point a Moral For His Subscribers.

For ten years we have been endeavoring to purchase a lot whereon to erect a Building for the Billville Banner, but until recently, when prosperity struck us and took up its abode in our midst, we were unable to do so. Yesterday the old cemetery was sold at auction, and we bid it in for $7. We are now moving The Banner into one of the most commodious vaults it contains, and we are as cheerful as we can be under the circumstances. We don't believe in ghosts. Many of the dead in the confines of our new purchase were ancient bill collectors, and they got so tired running after us that they were glad to rest, and we feel that they need all the rest they can get.

As news items were short this week, we contented ourselves with copying a few of the many epitaphs scattered around us. It's true they are now in the class with the dead matter, but we still think our readers will be interested in them. Most of our readers are deadheads anyhow, so they won't take this graveyard departure amiss. So here goes:

A BRIGHT FUTURE.

Beneath this plain pine board is lying
The body of Joshua Hight.
"Cheer up," the parson told him, dying;
"Your future's very bright."

Slowly the sick man raised his head,
His weeping friends amazing.
"Parson, it's most too bright," he said,
"For I can see it blazing!"

HE'S HAPPY NOW.

Samuel William Jenkins Stone
To glory went a-humpin.
He took hold of life's telephone
And hollered, "I'm a-comin!"

ON WILLIAM BLIMM.

Beneath this stone in sleep profound
Lies Major William Blimm.
He put five wives beneath the ground,
But the sixth one buried him.

She would not call him back again,
Being of strong endurance.
He left this weary world of pain
And also some insurance.

A DOUBLE STANDARD MAN.

For thirteen years a Democrat
As solid as could be,
And all the time for silver—
Sixteen to one and free!

He ran for office, but his wrath
On folks he never wreaked.
He'll never walk those golden streets
Unless they're silver streaked.

TROUBLE IN STORE FOR HIM.

Here Spottswood Jones is lying dead.
On earth he was a teacher.
"I'll meet three wives in heaven," he said.
"Lord help you!" said the preacher.

ON A FERTILIZER AGENT.

Six feet beneath
This funeral wreath
Is laid upon the shelf
One Jerry Jones,
Who dealt in bones,
And now he's bones himself.

ON HER FIRST HUSBAND.

Sleep, my husband, sleep away.
On another I may lean,
But I'll make him—every day—
Hoe your grave and keep it green.

A LIFE OFFICEHOLDER.

He's left this world of pain and strife
And reached the other side.
He held an office all his life,
Resigning when he died.

ON MR. ROBER.

Here, where the breeze the blossom shakes,
Lies Andrew Johnson Rober.
He saw the devil and great snakes.
Moral—Good folks, stay sober!

HIS LAST REQUEST.

Dying, he said, "Don't weep for me,
My darling wife—please don't."
She looked as smiling as could be
And said, "You bet I won't!"

ON A PARTY WHO WAS LYNCHED.

They lynched him on an old oak tree
That blossoms on the slope,
And then they made his family
Settle the bill for rope.

ON AN UNHAPPY SPOUSE.

Sleep, my dearest, in the dust.
Death gives to hope its birth.
You're happy now, is what we trust.
You never were on earth.

NOTE BY THE EDITOR.

The above are all we had time to copy for this issue. Many of them point a moral, for which we make no extra charge. All subscribers who die paid up may expect the same consideration at our hands. We'll publish their epitaphs cheerfully. Subscribe now and get in the paper when your time comes!—Atlanta Constitution.

How She Wanted to Sleep.

A 2-year-old girl who had been in the habit of sleeping in stockings to keep her feet warm was very much opposed to having them removed when warm weather came. She cried out, "I don't want to sleep in my toes!"—New York Sunday World.

Prosperity Blinded Him.

"I thought you said you saw prosperous times ahead."

"Well, I thought I did, but the heiress I had my eyes on wouldn't have me."—Chicago Post.

The Right Thing.

Longgreen—I want to fix my money so it won't be fought over.

Lawyer—That's all right. You just leave it to me.—Detroit Free Press.

So Fascinating.

He—What do you find so fascinating about surf bathing?

She—Oh, merely the habit!—Brooklyn Life.

Laudatory.

She praised my wife unto the skies
And lauded loud her beauty,
Her wealth of hair, her dazzling eyes
And her keen sense of duty.
And said that I should thankful be
For such a mate in life.
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‡7 28	8 35	*9 00	‡9 38
‡7 33	8 50	9 15	‡10 25
‡7 43	8 37	*9 50	10 07
‡7 50	8 55	10 00	11 15
*8 50	9 40	10 45	11 58
9 15	10 32	11 30	‡12 07
9 41	10 40	12 00	‡12 56
11 00	12 04	‡1 03	‡1 39
‡11 42	12 25	‡1 15	1 52
‡12 14	1 05	2 00	3 04
1 40	2 50	*3 07	‡3 40
3 00	4 25	3 41	5 03
*‡3 47	4 35	4 14	‡5 32
*‡4 02	4 45	4 47	5 55
4 25	5 37	*5 00	6 45
‡5 22	6 16	5 38	6 35
5 41	7 10	6 47	8 57
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*‡7 49	8 30	‡7 30	‡8 05
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		11 20	12 23

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8 16	9 10	9 25	10 07
9 25	10 30	10 25	11 48
10 50	12 02	11 50	1 03
12 05	1 47	2 15	3 19
12 45	1 55	3 33	4 55
2 33	3 41	4 21	5 45
2 55	4 02	5 01	6 19
4 05	5 25	5 04	7 13
5 10	6 42	6 35	7 45
6 15	7 28	9 40	10 37
7 00	8 00	11 15 a	12 36
9 25	10 30		

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8 15	9 27	8 00	9 17
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An alarm from box 236 early last evening called the fire department to the stable at Puffer and D streets, where a smart blaze was in progress. Two horses were taken out safely and the fire was confined to the box stall in which it started and to a small part of the hay loft. The barn was hired by a milkman named Sullivan, but the loss will not be heavy. C. H. Hanson of Pelham owns the property.

The alarm from box 39, Broadway, and Fletcher streets, at 12.40 yesterday was caused by a fire in the rooms of the Lowell Card company in Broadway. The damage was small.

THE SOUTH ENDS

DEPRECATE THE IDEA OF PLAYING OUT OF SEASON.

Lowell, October 11, 1897.

Editor Sun—The challenge of the Emeralds in your issue of the 8th inst., is noted. We would state that we have nothing to gain by playing them again, and they know that another game this year is out of the question, unless we play with snow balls, the season being practically ended several weeks ago. We would advise the Emeralds to keep their one hundred dollars if there is truth in such statement, until next season when we will most accommodatingly take it off them.

As to playing the game on its merits the Emeralds well know that the burden of doing so rests with themselves as was displayed by their ignominious quitting of a week ago Saturday.

Yours respectfully,

—South End B. B. C.

LOWELL POLICE

LOOKING FOR A MAN WANTED IN LAWRENCE.

The police of this city have been notified to be on the lookout for George Walker, who is wanted in Lawrence for larceny. The Lawrence story is as follows:

Francis Burns met Walker late Saturday night and soon they became fast friends. They made several "calls" and as a result it was very late when they decided to retire.

The men applied for lodgings at the Pacific House and were assigned a room for which they paid 60 cents. Burns gave the name of Frank Turner. Both were somewhat "tired" and soon were fast asleep.

Burns woke up in the morning and found his friend had fled. He looked about and soon discovered that his shoes were missing.

Further investigation showed that his overcoat and silver watch were also missing.

Burns reported the theft to the police and now Inspector Sheehan of Lawrence is looking after the man called Walker.

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Interest on taxes will begin Oct. 20.

Dr. Coburn DENTIST 31 MERK. ST.

MATRIMONIAL.

A very pretty wedding occurred at the Worthen street M. E. church last evening, when George L. Fowler and Miss Mae Valentine were united in marriage, the details of the happy affair having been arranged on an elaborate plan. The groom is the eldest son of Supt. of Streets Fowler and is superintendent of the Wamesit Power company. The bride is the daughter of Captain and Mrs. Valentine. The decorations in the church were very beautiful.

At 7.30 o'clock the bridal party entered the church while the wedding march from Lohengrin was played on the organ by Mrs. Helen H. Taylor.

The bridal party was preceded by the ushers, Messrs. Fred Costello, Albert R. Archibald, Horace Paradis, Everett Allshaw, Lyman Proctor, Arthur Kelley, and Walter Chase. Next came the bridesmaids and maid of honor, Miss Carrie Fowler, oldest sister of the groom, Miss Kittie Waite, Miss Grace Aldrich, Miss Susie Gifford, and Miss Mae Tilton of Salem. The bride, leaning on the arm of her father came last.

The bride was handsomely gowned in white organdie over white silk with pearl ornaments. She wore the conventional veil and carried a bouquet of bride's roses. The costumes of the bridesmaids were also very charming, Miss Fowler being dressed in white organdie over pink, Miss Waite in white organdie over violet, Miss Aldrich white over green, Miss Gifford, white organdie over yellow, while the maid of honor, Miss Tilton, wore white organdie over white and carried a large bouquet.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. Carnick.

After the ceremony the wedding march was resumed, and the bridal party left the church, escorted by the Mechanics Phalanx in full uniform. Mr. and Mrs. Fowler started immediately on their honeymoon and they will be at home in their new residence on Gibson street after January 1.

FORREST—BUCKLAND.

One of the most brilliant weddings that took place in the Highlands this season was that of Charles M. Forrest of the firm of Pratt & Forrest, lumber dealers, and Miss Ada E. Buckland, youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Buckland of Westford street, which took place last evening in the Highland Congregational church. The interior of the church was prettily decorated with wild flowers by the bridesmaids. Mrs. J. B. Field presided at the organ and as the bridal party entered the church played the Lohengrin wedding music.

The ushers were Mr. Elmer E. Buckland, brother of the bride, Mr. William W. Duncan, Mr. Donald C. Campbell, Edward R. Durant, Arthur E. Hatch, all of Lowell, and Mr. Edward Quinlan of Boston. They preceded the bridal party, and Mis Maud T. Bowers, who acted as first bridesmaid, came next, followed by four other bridesmaids, Miss Helen W. Chadbourne, Miss Mabel Forrest, Miss Gertrude Forrest, sisters of the groom, and Miss Marion Perry.

The maid of honor, Miss Cora Buckland, came next, followed by the bride, who was attended by her father. The groom, attended by his best man, Mr. Frank Coburn, entered the church to the altar from the right aisle, meeting the bridal party at the center, where the bride was given away by her father. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. E. Merriam and prayer was offered by Rev. Dr. Greene. After the ceremony, a reception was held at the bride's home, 480 Westford street, at which the happy couple received the congratulations of many friends.

Among the many out-of-town guests present were Mr. and Mrs. William Gammell of Andover, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Harris and the Misses Harris of Malden, Mr. Frank Fellows, Mr. Frederick Fellows of Hyde Park, Mr. and Mrs. Dutton of Hillsboro Bridge, N. H., Miss Flora Forrest of Belmont, N. H., Mr. Charles Jackman, Miss Eva Day, and Miss Maud Forrest, all of Concord, N. H., and Miss Susanne Robbins of Boston.

The D. L. Page company catered for the occasion.

During the hours of reception, Hibbard's orchestra of five pieces rendered a concert program. Mr. and Mrs. Forrest received many costly wedding gifts. On their return, they will reside at 31 Bellevue street, where they will be at home on Tuesdays, Jan. 11th and 25th.

FULTON—PETTENGILL.

The marriage of Robert S. Fulton and Miss Leonora C. Pettengill, took place last evening at the bride's home at 112 Humphrey street, Rev. Mr. Dick uniting the couple. The parlor was handsomely decorated with potted plants and flowers and the ceremony was performed under an arch of ferns.

The bridesmaid was Miss Lillian Hard and the maid of honor, Miss Vinnie Hamilton. The best man was Mr. A. B. Chamberlain. The bride and her attendants were most becomingly attired. The former wore taffeta silk with pearls and chiffon trimmings and carried roses. The bridesmaid wore white organdie over pink and carried pink carnations, and the maid of honor was gowned in yellow organdie, trimmed with white valenciennes lace. Miss Millie McDavitt played the wedding march.

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton held a reception to their friends from 6 to 7, and later departed on their wedding tour. After November 1, they will be at home on Tuesdays at 27 Myrtle street. The Page company furnished a wedding collation.

KING—BUTTERWORTH.

Mr. Howard M. King of Boston, a civil engineer for the Boston & Albany railroad, and Miss Alice M. Butterworth, daughter of ex-Alderman S. D. Butterworth, were quietly married yesterday afternoon at the home of the bride, 113 Moore street, Rev. Joseph A. Foster of St. Thomas' Episcopal church of Methuen, performing the ceremony.

The bride was gowned in white organdie over heavy duchess satin, and carried a shower bouquet of bride's roses. The ceremony was performed in the main parlor, which was a mass of flowers, foliage and palms. The wedding gifts were many and costly. After the ceremony, a reception was held until 6 o'clock, when the young couple left for a bridal tour. They will reside in West Newton.

The ushers were Messrs. A. A. Adams, Dover, N. H.; C. A. Holden and W. Russell, Boston; Samuel D. Butterworth, Jr., and A. E. Moors of Lowell. Hymer's orchestra of Boston played during the evening. Friends were present from New London and Middletown, Conn., Pascoag, R. I., Boston, Somerville, and Charlestown.

COON—FULLER.

The marriage of Mr. Orville Coon to Miss Helen A. Fuller occurred yesterday afternoon at the residence of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. Harry P. Clough, 110 Bridge street.

The ceremony was performed at 2.30 o'clock by Rev. George H. Johnson in the parlor, which was very handsomely decorated. The best man was Mr. Orvis Coon of Concord, N. H., and the bridesmaid was Miss Grace O. Fuller of this city. The ushers were Messrs. Frank L. De Merritt and Albert De Merritt of Exeter, and Harry Osgood of this city. Miss May Briggs very ably presided at the piano and played the wedding marches.

Late in the afternoon, Mr. and Mrs. Coon left for parts unknown on their wedding tour and they will be at home after November 1, at 710 Bridge street.

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FIREMENS' CELEBRATION

WILL BE HELD AT LAWRENCE THIS WEEK.

Next Saturday will occur the annual parade and inspection of the city government of the Lawrence fire department. The line will be formed on Lowell street, right resting on Amesbury. The route of the parade will be Lowell to Lawrence, to Common, passing in review of the city government at city hall, to Appleton, to Essex, to Jackson, to Haverhill, to parade ground on common. There the department will be inspected by members of the city government. The line will be reformed and move over to Haverhill street, to Broadway, to Essex, to Appleton. At Appleton and Essex street an exhibition will be given by the department. The Lawrence brass band will furnish music.

Among Chief Beal's guests at the firemen's muster which is to be held here the latter part of the week, will be the following chiefs: Hosmer of Lowell, Hopkins of Somerville, Gordon of Haverhill, Arnold of Salem, Murrane of Fitchburg, Downing of Lynn and Casey of Cambridge.

OF LOCAL INTERETS

Some People We Know and We Will Profit by Hearing About Them.

This is a purely local event.
It took place in Lowell, Mass.
Not in Buffalo or New York,
You are asked to investigate it.
Asked to believe a citizen's word.
To confirm a citizen's statement.
Any article that is endorsed,
That obtains resident advocates,
Is more worthy of confidence
Than a far-off foreign article.
Testified to by foreign people.

Mr. H. Doyle, motorman, residing at 1416 Middlesex street, says: "I suffered a great deal with my back and kidneys. When cold weather came, backache came and dizziness and headaches with it. I wore flannel bandages and tried the ordinary household remedies, but I grew no better and urinary trouble set in. I read what Doan's Kidney Pills were doing here in Lowell and I made up my mind I would try them. I got a box at Ellingwood & Co.'s, Merrimack and Central streets, and I give them the credit of my cure. I have not a sign of my old trouble and don't have any use for the flannel bandage. I have just got some for my wife, as I believe she needs them, and they are just the thing. Use my name if you wish. I am quite willing you should tell what they have done for me."

For sale by all dealers—price, 50 cents. Mailed by Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the U. S.

Remember the name, Doan's, and take no other.

LARGE, ELEGANT
Boarding and Lodging House
on one of the main streets for sale or will exchange for a cottage in city.
DONOVAN & MANSUR,
Room 1, Swan Building, 26 Central street
Lowell, Mass. Telephone 406-4.

THE BUSY STORE

We are well named, the Busy People of the Busy Store, days like yesterday, we hustle and get ready for the rush of fine days.

We've done some Price Cutting for a little hurrah. Come and see us at once or you'll miss a treat.

Some Interesting Reading Here. Read It!

Dress Trimmings.

Look at Window Display. It's elaborate, but it only gives you a faint idea of our Immense Stock.

Read a few items as follows:

Fur Trimmings, a gigantic line, the prices begin at 10c a yard, running to $1.97 yard.

Braided Ornaments for Dress and Cloak Trimmings. Such a line was never seen in this city. Prices start at 49c a set and run to $2.98.

Braid Trimmings to match above sets, a profusion of designs and only 10c and upwards.

The Tubular, President and Military Braids, in Mohair and Silk and very popular. The prices commence at 4c a yd.

Colored Aplique Trimmings, in all the latest designs and colorings. We start the prices at 49c and run to $2.75, beautiful goods, an immense line.

Embroidered Chiffons, in Blacks, Black and White and the popular combination colorings. The prices start at $1.49 and run to $2.47.

HANDKERCHIEFS.

Always Headquarters for Handkerchiefs.

1 Lot Ladies' White Handkerchiefs, Lace Trimmed, 4c each.

1 Lot White Handkerchiefs, all linen, 5c each.

1 Lot Ladies' Initial Handkerchiefs, 5c each.

We make a specialty of an Embroidered Handkerchief at 12 1-2c each.

KID GLOVES.

Did you see our Window Display? U OUGHT TO. WELL, READ:

50 dozen Foster Lacing Kid Gloves, in all new Shades and Black, 75c pair.

27 dozen, no more, 4-button Fancy Point. A soft elastic Glove, newest shades, 79c pair.

The New 2-Clasp Gloves, in Antelope, Doeskin and Kid at 98c. Also the popular Mocha Driving Gloves for the same price, 98c.

See our New Derby Gloves at $1.25. We Warrant and Fit Gloves.

Jersey Underwear.

We are making a display of Jersey and other makes of Underwear and the most conspicuous features will be the prices (Low Prices).

Ladies' Fleeced Jersey Vests and Pants, for a hum-hum-choice 19c, worth 30c.

Ladies' Fleeced Jersey Vests and Pants, White Egyptian, for 25c, Silk Trimmed.

Ladies' Fleeced Jersey Vests and Pants, full silk trimmings, a 50c Garment for 29c.

Ladies' Fleeced Jersey Vests and Pants, silk trimmed, a regular 75c Garment, for 49c.

Misses and Children's Fleeced Combination Jersey Suits, a 50c quality for 25 cents.

Children's Merino Underwear, al sizes, 12 1-2c each, and a host of other big bargains which we defy competition to duplicate at price.

Cotton Underwear.

To make room for our new line of knit fascinators, etc. we must close out some of our Surplus Stock of Cotton Underwear and we will do it.

Corset Covers 12 1-2c, 17c and 19c, worth double.

Drawers 19c, 25c and 39c, the best values in Drawers you ever saw.

Night Robes for 29c, 49c and 69c, such values in Night Robes are seldom, if ever seen.

Skirts 25c, 39c, 49c and 69c. Every Skirt worth twice as much. Now is the time to buy Cotton Underwear.

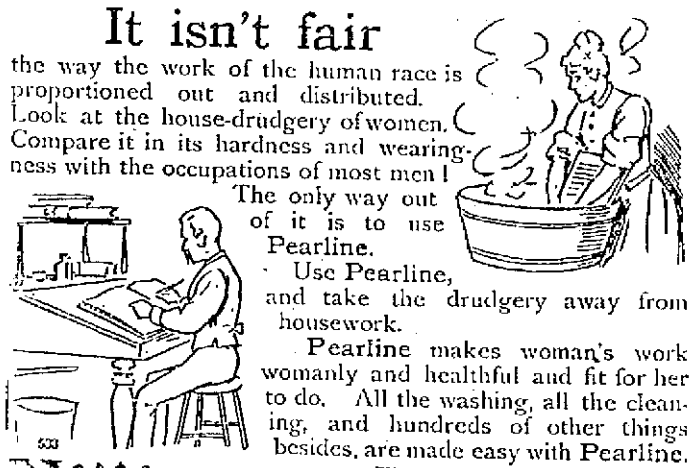
COME.

Watch our Advertisements in these columns, it will pay you from now out.

BON MARCHE DRY GOODS CO.
THE HUSTLERS.

It isn't fair

the way the work of the human race is proportioned out and distributed. Look at the house-drudgery of women. Compare it in its hardness and wearingness with the occupations of most men! The only way out of it is to use Pearline.



Use Pearline, and take the drudgery away from housework.

Pearline makes woman's work womanly and healthful and fit for her to do. All the washing, all the cleaning, and hundreds of other things besides, are made easy with Pearline.

Millions NOW USE Pearline

$1.00 PER WEEK PAYMENTS

LADIES', AND MEN'S

CLOTHING ON CREDIT

Our prices are not only the lowest in the city, but our terms of credit are so easy that every one can afford to dress well.
Nobby Fall Suits, $8.00, $10.00, $12.00 and up.
Nobby Fall Overcoats, $10.00, $12.00, $14.00 and up.
Children's Suits all prices.
Ladies' Collarettes, Capes, Jackets and Skirts.

EVERYTHING ON CREDIT.

Empire Credit Clothing Co.,
Over 97 Central Street. Open Evenings.

COOK, TAYLOR & CO.

CENTRAL STREET,

A FEW

Special Bargains

In our Black Silk Department for Three Days Only.

3 pieces 24 inch all silk extra heavy fine lustre Black Gros Grain Silk, worth $1.50 a yard, our price 89c. yard.

5 pieces 22 inch Black Satin Duchesse, extra heavy, all silk, worth $1.25 a yard, our price 79c. yard.

3 pieces 27 inch Black Taffeta Silk, elegant finish, worth $1.50 a yard, our price 89c. yard.

5 pieces 27 inch Black Satin Rhadames, extra heavy, very fine finish, worth $1.50 a yard, our price 79c. yard.

5 pieces All Silk Black Pongee, worth 50c. a yard, only 29c. yard.

4 pieces 20 inch Black Surah Silk, cheap at 62 1-2c., our price 39c. yard.

10 pieces 24 inch Black Brocade Silks, extra heavy, assorted patterns, regular $1.00 quality, only 69c.

2 pieces Black Stripe Satin, worth $1 a yard, to close only 50c. yard.

3 pieces Black Satin Rhadames, 20 inches wide, only 49c. a yard.

SPECIAL FOR TODAY—10 pieces 48-inch All-Wool Black Henriettas, extra heavy, fine finish, regular price 75c. Our price for this lot 49c. a yard.

Cook, Taylor & Co.

O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.

Merrimack, Palmer and Middle Streets.

Men of Lowell Here's Your Opportunity

A Tremendous Trade Occasion! A Positively Unmatchable Chance to Buy Your

Winter Underwear

At about Half Price. Sale begins Thursday morning, October 14th, at 9 o'clock, and will continue until every piece is disposed of.

This Gigantic Offering, which we advertise today, is the result of an immense purchase of nearly 3000 pieces of soiled Underwear direct from the mills, well known in trade phraseology as a "job." There is not a single piece imperfect in manufacture, but all are more or less soiled, some badly so, as the result of improper care in the stock room, and many of them have been used as samples to take orders from, but all can be made as good as new in the wash. We will not blow or exaggerate, but will say truthfully that they are the best values ever offered in Men's Underwear. Such prices may never come to you again.

AT 29 CENTS EACH.

A vast quantity of Grey Mixed Shirts and Drawers, sizes 32 to 44. They are extra heavy weight, can be worn all through the winter season, thoroughly well made, contain no imperfection excepting that they are badly soiled and cannot be sold by any concern in the world in perfect condition a fraction less than 50 cents.

AT 39 CENTS EACH.

We Have 3 Lots.

LOT 1—Contains nearly 50 dozen Shirts (only) extra quality, grey mixed.
LOT 2—Contains a quantity of Jersey Shirts and Drawers.
LOT 3—Contains several dozens White Wool Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, and there is not a piece in these three lots that can be bought regularly less than 75c.

AT 49 CENTS EACH.

We Have 2 Lots.

LOT 1—Contains about 50 dozen All Wool Shirts and Drawers in a broken assortment of sizes and colors.
LOT 2—Consists of a small quantity of extra fine quality White Wool Shirts and Drawers, all sizes, and there is not one piece in these two lots but is easily worth $1.00.

AT 69 CENTS EACH.

Several hundred pieces of Red Wool Shirts and Drawers, such as you will have to pay $1.25 for if bought clean and perfect.

AT 79 CENTS EACH.

About 30 dozen White All-Wool Drawers (only), sizes 30 to 44, and you cannot match these goods when clean for less than $1.50.

These goods are now on exhibition in our Merrimack street window, and we will not sell a single piece until Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Such phenomenal bargains were never heard of in the history of trade. Be on hand if you are a money saver.

O'Donnell & Gilbride Co.